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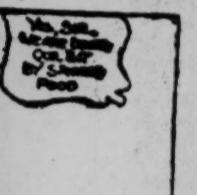
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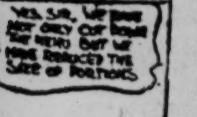
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By Kettens



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GERMANS ARE CHECKED ALL ALONG THE LINE

Comparatively Large Forces of Americans Engaged in Hardest Fighting

OUR MEN AID IN RECAPTURE OF 2 VILLAGES, TAKE MORE PRISONERS

Ground South of Marne Is Fought Over Several Times—U. S. Troops in Large Numbers Go in to Support French Attacking Columns.

MORALE OF PRISONERS DECLARED TO BE LOW

Enemy Launches Small Attack in Vaux Region Which Is Broken Up Quickly and Followed by Heavy Bombardment.

By the Associated Press.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE MARNE, Tuesday, July 16.—French and American forces fighting together have recaptured the village of St. Agnan, Hill 223, to the northwest, and La Chapelle-Monthodon.

In co-operation with the French, the Americans launched a heavy counter attack this morning between these two villages, driving the enemy steadily back.

On the American right the French made rapid progress, and all through the section the Germans were fiercely attacked by the allies, with the result that they have withdrawn for a considerable distance.

Many Americans Engaged.

Comparatively large forces of Americans have been engaged, especially in the region of Desvres, where they were brought up to support the attacking French. Within a short period the Americans were hotly engaged in the fighting.

In counter attacking operations during the day the Americans increased their number of prisoners materially.

Throughout the Germans fought with the utmost stubbornness, but they are deemed to have been unable to withstand the storming of the allied troops, whose advance was preceded by a terrific fire. Only to the south of the Bois des Rochet did the enemy succeed in holding his ground temporarily.

From prisoners taken by the Americans it is established that the enemy has used up a large portion of his reserves since yesterday morning. Yet he has been held virtually everywhere in this sector.

The morale of the last prisoners taken is excessively low, in fact lower than any captured in recent months.

Ground Much Fought Over.

The fighting following the American counter attack which drove the Germans back a long distance yesterday has continued fiercely. Some of the ground has been fought over several times.

West of Chateau-Thierry, between Vaux and Hill 204, the enemy launched a small local attack against the American forces today, but was speedily beaten off with losses. This operation subsided quickly and the enemy contented himself for the remainder of the day with the laying down of the heaviest bombardment over the positions, which availed him nothing.

PERSHING TELLS OF REPULSE OF ENEMY ON MARNE

Says One Battalion Was Practically Annihilated in Fighting on Monday.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Gen. Pershing's communiqué for Monday, reaching the War Department today, reported that 500 prisoners were taken by the Americans in their counter attack which drove the Germans back to the Marne east of Chateau-Thierry.

The dispatch follows:

"Section A—East of Chateau-Thierry, where the enemy succeeded this morning in crossing the Marne

U. S. FLAG MUST NOT RETIRE, SAYS GENERAL ORDERS NEW ATTACK

After This Message to French He Retakes Positions From Germans.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, July 17.—"We regret being unable on this occasion to follow the counsels of our superiors, the French, but the American flag has been forced to retire. This is undeniably a loss, and none of our soldiers would understand their not being asked to do whatever is necessary to re-establish a situation which is humiliating to us and unacceptable to our country's honor. We are going to counter attack."

This was a message sent to the French commander by an American General in command of American forces south of the Marne on Monday afternoon, after the Germans had succeeded in forcing the Americans back towards Conde-en-Brie. The French commander informed the American General that the early German success could not have any great effect on the fate of the battle; that it was understood perfectly that after hard fighting the Americans had slowly retired and that it was not expected that they immediately launch a counter attack. He added that a counter attack could be deferred without risk and it might be better to give the American troops an hour's rest.

Immediately after the American General sent the message, which is quoted by the correspondent of the Matin, the Americans launched their counter attack, and the lost ground was soon recovered, with an additional half-mile taken from the Germans for "good measure."

AMERICANS DOWN 5 GERMAN AIRPLANES AND A BALLOON

New York Man Gets Two Enemy Craft in Fighting Over Dormans.

By the Associated Press.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, July 17.—Five German airplanes and one balloon were destroyed by American aviators in the fighting over Dormans, on the River Marne.

Zenos Miller of Wooster, Ohio, brought down a balloon and fought off three Fokker machines. Charles Porte of New Rochelle, N. Y., knocked down a German, whose machine fell 1,000 feet.

Francis Simmonds of New York City brought down two German machines in the same flight. Arthur Jones of California, brought down one airplane and Ralph O'Neill of Nogales, Ariz., destroyed a two-seater.

'ENEMY LOSSES FRIGHTFUL; OURS QUITE LIGHT,' SAYS PARIS REPORT

Former Official Information Says Troops on the Spot Have Sufficed to Sustain Shock of Drive.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, July 17.—A semi-official report from Paris reads:

"While the enemy losses were frightful, ours were quite light, especially east of Rheims. If we were allowed to state the figures, it would be most reassuring. Whereas, during the previous offensive, we had to send for reinforcements from other parts of the front, this time those on the spot sufficed to sustain the shock."

This is partially due to the constant arrival of Americans, which reduces the unequal proportion of the forces."

PARTLY CLOUDY; NOT MUCH CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES

1 a. m. 10 1/2 ° F. 11 a. m. 50 ° F.

9 a. m. 50 ° F.

Yesterday — High, 87, at 2 p. m.; low, 75, at 7 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

Missouri—Unsettled weather, probably with showers this afternoon or to-night; tomorrow, generally fair; warmer in northwest portion.

Illinois—Partly cloudy to-morrow, probably with showers in south portion to-night; slightly warmer in north portion to-morrow.

The Order of the Bath is the second rank in Great Britain, and the Grand Cross awarded Gen. Pershing the highest rank within the order. In 1905 there were only 133 persons so decorated. The order is the highest which any commoner can attain.

The Order of St. Michael and St. George is an order of lesser rank originally founded as an order of merit for British residents of the Mediterranean countries.

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enemy in the southern outskirts of Bouquenay wood and at the village of Nesles. The Germans likewise launched a powerful attack in the direction of Monvoisin, on the south side of the Marne, southwest of Venneuil, but were thrown back from this locality by a powerful counter attack by the French.

"Between the Marne and Rhims violent combat developed in Courson wood. A German attack in the region of Vrigny broke down completely."

"East of Rhims, German attacks were fruitless, notably in the region of Prunay. A renewed attack by the enemy in the direction of Beauvois, on the south side of the Vesle, southwest of Prunay, suffered a sanguinary repulse. The French positions throughout have been maintained intact."

No French troops from other points on the western front were sent to the present fighting line, and their reserves held and countered the shock of the German attack. All circumstances, it is added, point to a favorable outcome of the battle. Struggle on Marne Severe.

The official statement issued last night said:

"Today the Germans, who have not been able to resume their general attack, broke off their yesterday's violent efforts to increase their local successes. But in the morning and afternoon the battle was particularly desperate south of the Marne. Enemy forces attempted to ascend the river. Our troops retarded the advance of the enemy. Defending the ground foot by foot, they have maintained their positions on the line of Gouy-Levigny.

"On our part we counter attacked the enemy on the front of St. Aignan-La-Chapelle-Monthodon. Our troops captured these two places and carried their line on to the heights which dominate the Marne Valley in the region of Boudronnerie and Clos-milon.

"Between the Marne and Rhims the Franco-Italian troops repulsed several enemy attempts to conserve their positions.

"East of Rhims the Germans this morning began again violent artillery preparations, followed by attacks at several points on the front. A powerful effort in the direction of Beaumont-Sur-Vesle failed to develop from Prunay. In the sector of Sutteps two attacks made to the west of the river came to naught under our fire.

"The struggle was not less spirited in the regions north of Crosnes and East of Tuhure, where the enemy also attacked. Everywhere his efforts were vain and his assaulting troops were repulsed with heavy losses."

13,000 PRISONERS TAKEN MONDAY, BERLIN DECLARES

BERLIN, via London, July 17.—"On the Marne front the enemy has delivered violent counter attacks," said the German official communication issued last evening. "There were some local successes to the southwest of Rhims. To the east of Rhims the situation is unchanged."

The announcement reads:

"In some sectors fighting activity has revived. East of the Avesne an enemy night attack was repulsed, as was also a strong enemy attack east of Heubertin."

"Between the Aisne and the Marne and east of Chateau-Thierry there were lively artillery duels."

"In minor enterprises and during an advance across the Marne to the southwest of Jaulgonne we broke into the enemy's lines and brought back some prisoners."

"Yesterday to the southwest and east of Rhims we penetrated into part of the French positions."

"By their devastating effect the artillery, mine throwers and gas throwers, together with our tanks and infantry flame throwers, opened the way into the enemy's positions. The army of Gen. von Boehm has crossed the Marne between Jaulgonne and east of Dormans. At daybreak platoons of assault and storming troops cross the river and thereby created the foundation for the success of the day."

The infantry stormed the steep slopes on the southern bank of the Marne and under their cover the construction of bridges was carried out.

"In steady fighting we thrust through the stubbornly defended wooded country of the first positions and drove the enemy back toward his rear lines at Conde-La Chappelle-Monthodon."

"North of the Marne we also wrested from the French and Italians their first position between the Aisne and the Marne. In the evening we were fighting to the east of Chatillon-Cuchery line."

The armies of Gens. von Mudra and von Rinn, attacked the enemy in Champagne from Prunay, east of Rhims, as far as Tuhure, and in an encounter with the enemy, who was avoiding our attack, we captured the first French position.

"On our front of attack east of Rhims the enemy is holding his second positions to the north of Fosses, Souain and Perthes."

"The number of prisoners brought in up to the present amounts to more than 13,000."

Gem. Gouraud Commands French Armies in Champagne.

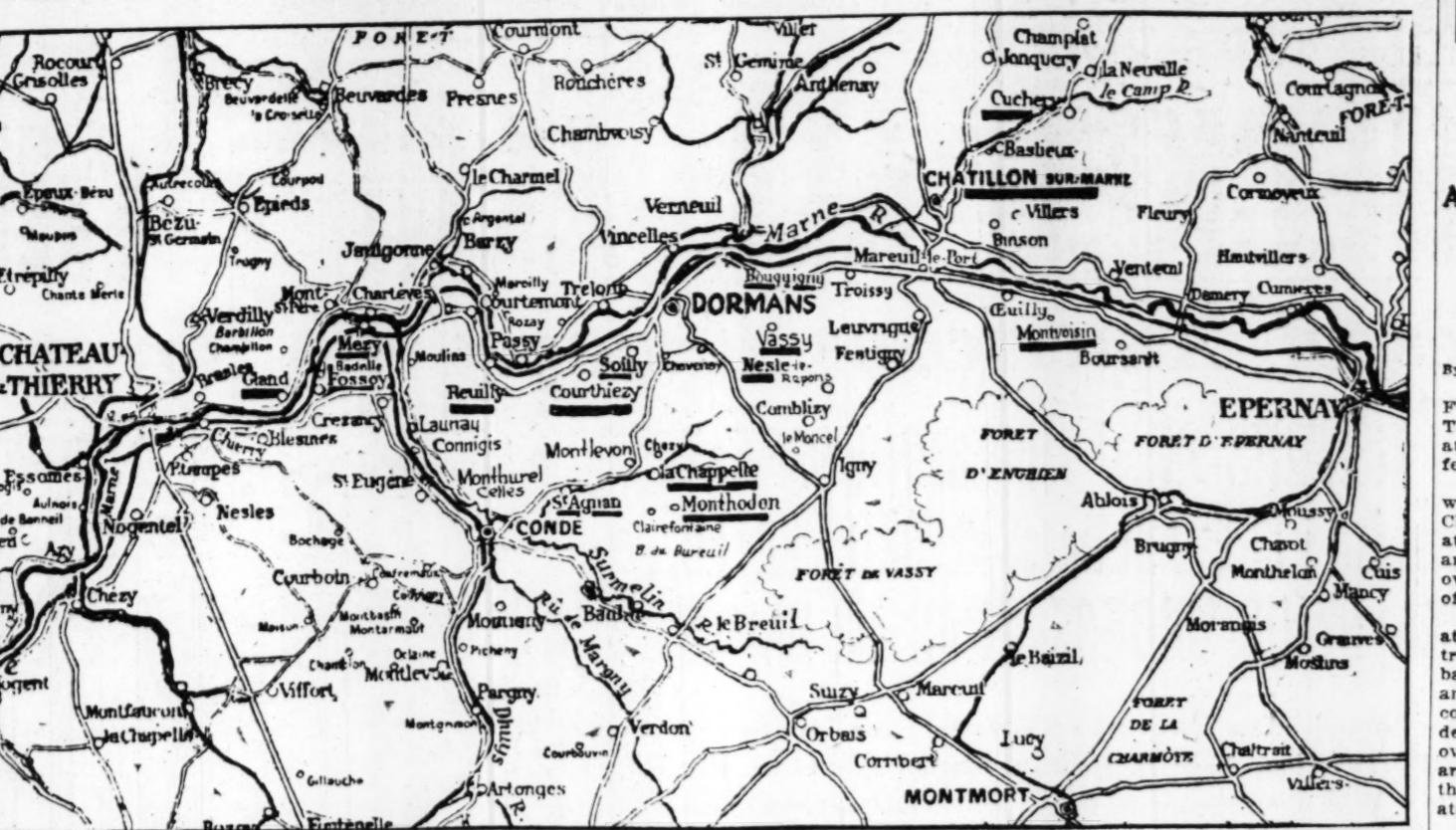
By the Associated Press.

PARIS, July 17.—The objective of the enemy in his offensive is held by the critics to have been Chalons, against which he directed a converging attack from the north by way of the Prunay sector.

It was the right wing of the Germans which achieved the only gain, which was a tactical one merely and was won more by luck than by good management.

The converging attack of the Germans was smashed by the brilliant leadership of Gen. H. J. E. Gouraud who, according to Henri Bidou, military critic of the *Journal Des Debats*, leaving his first lines lightly held, and putting the line of resistance well to the rear, allowed the German blow to expend itself on empty space.

Where Battle Rages; Key Map of Its Relation to Rest of Line



The towns mentioned in the official reports of the fighting are underscored.

SIMONDS VIEWS ATTACK AS CLEARING OPERATION FOR A GREATER EFFORT

Germans Trying to Remove Menace of Rhims Salient; Possibly Tried Too Wide a Front; "So Far, So Good," for Allies, Says Critic.

By FRANK H. SIMONDS, Author of "The Great War."

A complete report of the first 24 hours of the fifth German attack discloses two things—first, an initial check, more considerable than any previous German offensive has met this year; second, an apparent purpose in the offensive to reduce the Rhims salient and thus prepare the way for a later and greater push directly upon Paris.

It is well at the outset to avoid too great optimism over what must be a long and severe struggle, unless the allies see fit which will pressure the rear blow elsewhere. The first signs and reports are encouraging, but so were the first signs and reports in the battle of Picardy, when, on March 21, Gen. Gough's army held its line with great success, only to collapse on the second day. There is no sign of such collapse today, but the lesson of that experience should be borne in mind at the present hour.

Turning now to the question of German purpose, it seems clear that the German object in the present offensive was, by attacking east and west of Rhims, to reduce the narrow but dangerous salient which their attack of May 29 left upon them. If Ludendorff plans to deliver his final blow at Paris, an advance from his present lines westward would be fraught with danger precisely as long as the French occupy, not the city of Rhims, but the high ground of the mountain of Rhims behind the ruined city.

Sides of the Salient.

A frontal attack upon this salient would be difficult and costly. The German has therefore had recourse to the familiar expedient of attacking on both sides of the salient at the points where it leaves the main front. The brunt of his attack seems to have fallen upon the French and Italian troops between the Marne and Rhims and upon the French troops between Rhims and Moronvillier Heights. His greatest gain seems to have been made to the westward, where he has eaten in materially at the base of the Rhims salient, about Chatillon, narrowing it noticeably, away around, at the other side at Prunay, he has harvested slight gains.

The value of the Rhims salient to our allies lies in the fact that so long as it is in their hands a counter offensive on the flanks of the Germans operating toward Paris is always possible, and such a counter offensive, if successful, would not only destroy the German thrust at Paris, but gravely endanger the troops making it, because a short advance forward would cut the main lines of communication, which the Germans must use in any advance from the westward.

Our own share in the fighting has been considerable. The Germans seem to have undertaken to establish bridgeheads south of the Marne at the precise points where Bulow crossed in his advance to the battlefield of September, 1914, and it is conceivable that Ludendorff is trying to carry his front southward to the line of the Marne-Rivers, along which there was sharp fighting in the battle of the Marne. This would give him one more important highway and railway leading toward Paris—the highway and railway which follow the south bank of the Marne from Epernay to Chateau-Thierry. In this region the Marne flows sluggishly in a wide valley. Several miles from the stream the hills rise sharply and the Germans seem to have nowhere reached the high ground on the south bank, al-

though at points they have occupied the southern bank.

Trying to Iron Out Salients.

If the German means to make his supreme thrust at Paris, it is natural and logical that he would try first to iron out the salients threatening his rear, in order that his flank might rest securely upon the Marne and that he might be able to use the great highways running east and west from the frontier to the capital. Presumably, he is seeking to reach Chalons and Epernay. Were he successful in this, not only could he then turn his attention safely toward a drive upon Paris upon a much widened front, but also the French in Verdun would be cooped up in a very narrow salient and their position would be difficult and dangerous, fully recalling their situation at the crisis of the battle of the Marne four years ago.

It is well to bear in mind that the history of each German offensive of this year has disclosed a period of experimentation. The German has attacked upon a wide front, made material gains at certain points and been checked at others, and then rushed his reserve forces in to exploit his gains. It is not until the second or third day, or even the fourth day, that he discloses his real intention, and his real intention, save perhaps in the case of the battle of Picardy, seems to have been conditioned upon the discovery of some good opening.

In sum, we seem to be seeing here not the opening of the final thrust, and not a direct resumption of the attack upon Paris, but, rather, a clearing operation preliminary to a greater attack.

In March the German carried his right flank far out toward Avesne. Yesterday he carried his left flank down to the Marne, but did not succeed in clearing the French out of the Rhims salient, which remained a grave menace to the flanks and rear.

His present attacks seem directed at removing the greater menace of the Rhims salient. But neither the one or the other of the operations compares in magnitude with the first phase of the battle of Picardy or even with the opening stage of the recent battle of the Aisne.

The operation between Rhims and the Argonne still remains obscure. The German is here attacking over ground which has been fought upon frequently in this war and was the scene of the great French offensive of Sept. 25, 1915. Any considerable advance along this "dusty" Champagne region will gravely imperil the French, both in Rhims and in Verdun. If the German is seeking for moral effects and already feels that a military de-

feat is beyond his power, we may see a final effort to take Verdun on the east and Ypres on the west. But this is unlikely.

Less Violence Disclosed.

In the main the present German offensive appears as yet to have failed to disclose the violence of the force of the March or May operation. The attack had been upon a very wide front and it is conceivable that the front had been extended and that this was brought on the failure like that of Nivelle last year at the Aisne and more recently of the Austrians on the Piave. On the other hand, it may be that the main German attack is still to come and that we are seeing a series of feints preceding the real thing.

"So far, so good," is the wisest verdict of today. The immediate threat to Rhims is real and considerable. It may be the main purpose of the present operation. No other and larger purpose has yet been disclosed, and to judge from the official reports, the Rhims salient still remains tenable and the German gains too slight to repay the assailant for the obvious cost.

"A private in a Mississippi regiment gave me this account of the behavior of a company of engineers with whom he was digging trenches when the German attack began:

Engineers Were Fighters.

"I was digging a little cave with some engineers when the attack started. We dropped our shovels and ran forward to the river bank, where we shot as many of the advancing Germans as we could before they kept up for three hours. Then they attacked with rifles, grenades and trench mortars. We dropped back to a small cave when the enemy began crossing the river, and presently found ourselves attacked by about 50 Germans.

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In a section of Champagne lying east of Rhims the enemy attack was broken in its first stage. The point where the farthest advance was made toward winning the war—easternmost point of the Marne toward Montmire, which it was intended to reach in the course of the first day's fighting.

The Franco-American resistance, however, prevented the Germans from executing this plan. The strength of their effort is shown by the fact that they engaged 14 divisions—approximately 170,000 men—in the first line in this part of the battlefield.

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Facing this point is a hilly region, including Moronvilliers, Cormeilles and other well-known heights. On these were advanced positions of the French army lightly held. The enemy's preparations had been observed and minute precautions were taken by the allies to hold their main posi-

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RAIDS MADE ON CITIES IN JUNE

ports Attacks Chiefly in
Lorraine, Luxembourg
and Industrial Districts.

Editorial Press.

ERDAM, July 17.—Thirty attacks were made during the month against German cities, according to a report issued at Berlin. Twelve were against industrial districts—Lorraine and Luxembourg—and Saarbruecken regions at various places in the country. The report admits that slight damage was done to blast furnaces in the Saar region and Ludwigshafen. Four were against the Saarbruecken region and Saarbruecken itself. The report does not admit to be inconsiderate—four persons have been severely injured.

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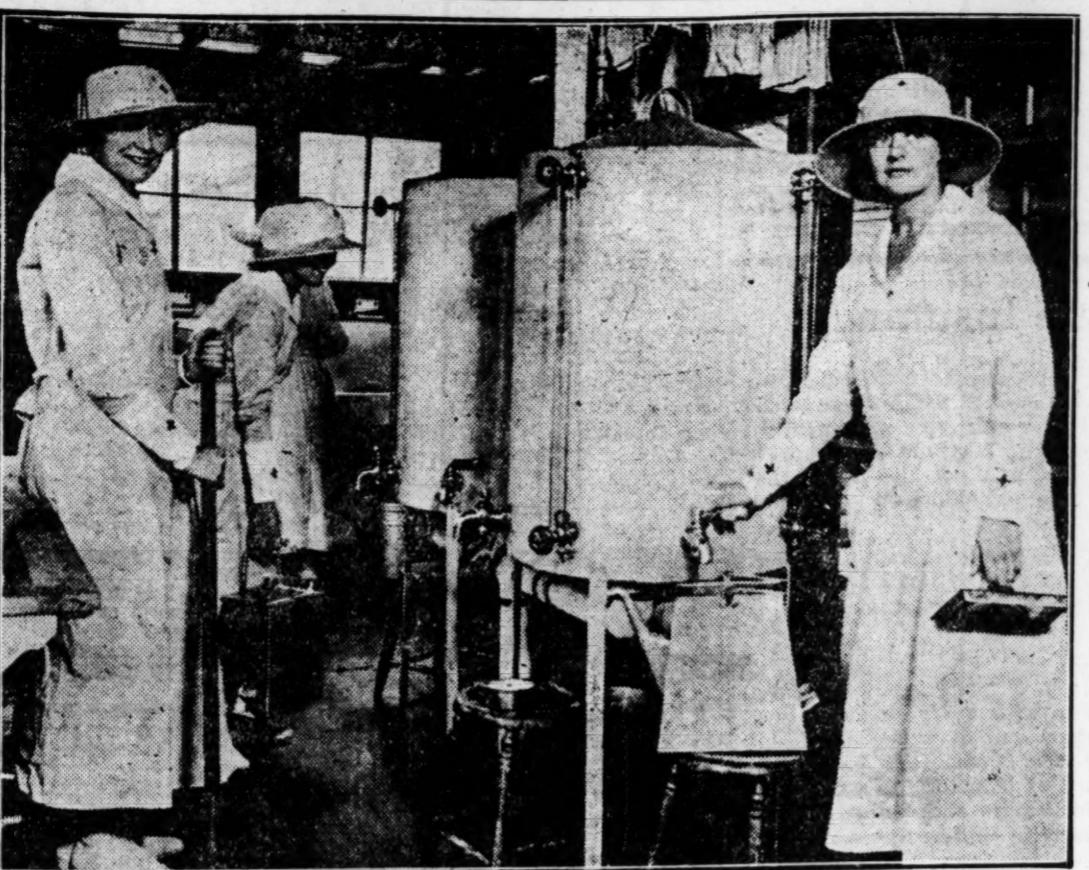
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Red-Cross Women at Work in Commissary Department of Canteen at Union Station



From left to right—Mary D. Jones, Mrs. Chouteau Walsh and Mrs. Sidney R. Francis.

PLANS FEDERAL BARGE LINE IN 2 MONTHS

Director Sanders Hopes to
Get Sufficient Temporary
Equipment.

The Government barge line on the Mississippi River probably will be in operation, with temporary equipment, within two months. Federal Director Sanders said to a Post-Dispatch reporter today, following yesterday's meeting of shippers, at which nearly all present promised to ship all southbound freight by water.

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"All those who were active in the fight

—The special article written at

Washington by Mr. McAdoo, together with the editorials, did much to stir up all objections and impress Washington officials with the vital need for the revival of river traffic during the war.

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Pew Destroys Paving Block Mill.
Fire believed to have been caused by sparks from a passing locomotive destroyed a paving block mill at the plant of the Kettle River Co., manufacturers of railroad ties, cross arms and paving blocks, at Madison, Ill., yesterday afternoon. Officials of the company today estimated the damage at approximately \$30,000. The company is making railroad ties for the Government.

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If you are going to buy a new Player-Piano, consider ours and ours from \$50 to \$100. When you buy us you are buying direct from the manufacturer.

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If you are looking for a real bargain in a used 88-note Player, see these:

ELLINGTON \$195
MIMBALL \$145
STEINWAY \$225
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Terms: \$10 down; \$2 a week.

The Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.
1109 Olive St.
J. B. MORAN, Gen'l Mgr.

173 NAMES IN TODAY'S ARMY LIST, WITH 39 KILLED

Deaths From Wounds 16,
From Disease 4, From Airplane Accident 2, Accident and Other Causes 6.

96 MORE AMERICANS WOUNDED SEVERELY

Nine Missing in Newest Casualty Roll and One of Our Men Is Reported as a Prisoner.

By the Associated Press
WASHINGTON, July 17.—The army casualty list today shows: Killed in action, 39; died of wounds, 16; died of disease, 4; died of airplane accident, 2; died of accident and other causes, 6; wounded severely, 96; missing, 9; prisoner, 1; total, 173.

These figures bring the total American casualties to the following:

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| Killed in action | 1432 |
| Died of wounds | 630 |
| Died of disease | 1,352 |
| Died of accident and other causes | 517 |
| Lost at sea | 291 |
| Wounded (all degrees) | 5,608 |
| Missing (including prisoners) | 553 |

Total 10,385

The list includes:

Killed in action—Sergts. Ralph Cox, Sharpsville, Ind.; Charley Davis, Washington, N. C. Corps. Dave Davis, Soddy, Tenn.; Claude R. Harper, Social Circle, Ga.; Samuel M. Kraft, Akron, O.; Luke Napodano, Brooklyn; Harry Peters, Toledo, O.; William H. Salvador, Philadelphia; Cook Joseph W. Hoce, Salisbury, N. C. Privates Charles Afrimoff, Brooklyn; Alonzo P. Baldwin, Des Moines, Ia.; Samuel Belinski, Bridgeport, Conn.; Joseph Bucior, Buffalo, N. Y.; Bradley Burkhardt, McRoberts, Ky.; George H. Downing, Natural Bridge, N. Y.; James A. Dunham, Whiting, Kan.; William Ellison, Elmira Heights, N. Y.; Roy L. Finney, Cambridge, Kan.; Edwin L. Frank, Constableville, N. Y.; Frank H. Huddleston, Melbourne, Fla.; Morris Krupot, Brooklyn; Samuel Lemma, Canandaigua, N. Y.; Nick Mainas, Agela, Greece; Joe P. Meagher, Lillis, Kan.; Robert E. Mitchell, New Haven, Conn.; Charles E. Montague, Hoboken, N. J.; Wm. N. Nauman, Fulton, N. Y.; Samuel R. Nichols, Tuckahoe, Tenn.; Edie C. O'Brien, Roncoville, Va.; John O'Connor, Elmira, N. Y.; Charles F. Patterson, Paola, Kan.; James H. Poe, Laurel Bloomery, Tenn.; Joe D. Pulliam, Round Bottom, Va.; Chas. A. Schiavone, Waterbury, Conn.; Wm. Selbert, Hagerstown, Md.; Donald C. Stough, Lander, Wyo.; John J. Tesor, New York City; Milton E. Van Pelt, Bronx, N. Y.

Died from wounds—Lieuts. Scott L. Lennen, Soldier, Kan.; Harold C. Mills, Troy, N. Y. Sergts. John J. Hogan, Syracuse, N. Y.; Newton Louden, Humansville, Mo. Corps. Ernest Benedict, McLean, Ill.; Gerald D. Fitzgerald, New York; Nathaniel McDonahy, Newcastle, Pa.; William H. Parsons, Sandy Hook, Ky. Privates Joseph J. Butler, Burlington, Vt.; Max Feindos, Newark, N. J.; Raymond Harrison, Torrington, Conn.; Frank W. Manning, Newton, Mass.; Edward A. Nelson, Lowell, Mass.; Ernest Paeschke, Junction City, Ore.; John O. Pearson, Elyria, Ohio; Van R. Tolford, Sand Creek, Mich.

Died of disease—Sergt. Gordon Bentley, Pontiac, Ill.; Privates Norman H. Hawkinson, Weiser, Idaho; Paul W. Hernady, Royal Oak, Mich.; Nicola Piccoli, Ardmore, Pa. Died from airplane accident—Lieut. Abraham R. Frye, New York City; Sergt. Robert Dunn, Norwich, N. Y.

Died from accident and other causes—Wagoner Edward H. Gray, Elkhorn, Utah. Privates Harold A. Bracken, Chicago; Francis Buckley, Brooklyn; Lewis A. Burger, Birmingham, Ala.; Donald L. Figenbaum, Harvey, Ill.; William Laidlaw, St. Paul.

Missing in action—Sergt. Carl S. McKee, Sibley, Io. Corps. Charles H. Doane, Terre Haute, Ind.; Earle E. Moore, Indianapolis, Ind.; Private E. E. Brunwick, Wamego, Kan.; Robert E. McEnany, Vancouver, Wash.; Mike O'Gorman, East Youngstown, O.; John E. Sciuillo, Waterbury, Conn.; James J. Shea, Cincinnati, O.; James Whritenour, Smith Mills, N. J. Prisoner—Private Effim, Lehuky, Philadelphia.

The Palace
Has moved to 517 Olive st.—Adv.

2 ST. LOUISANS COMMISSIONED

Alton and Jerseyville Men Also Among New Marine Officers.

In the list of graduates of a Marine Corps training camp at Quantico, Va., who are commissioned as Second Lieutenants, are Corp. Harvey B. Adkins, 6205 Elizabeth avenue; Sergt. Donald G. Oglesby, Alton, Ill.; Corp. Edward B. Orr, 3231 Lafayette avenue, and Private Joseph Watson, Jerseyville, Ill.

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By Borrowing
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Buy Coal

Coal is going up. The prices are fixed by government and increase every month you delay. Later you may not be able to buy coal at any price. To buy coal, the Industrial way, because it is the easiest way.

We Charge Only
7%

Per annum and allow you a year's time to return the money in small weekly or monthly payments.

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Have Pretty Dark Hair

"La Creole" Hair Dressing in the original hair color restorer, and not a dye. Applying it to your hair and scalp revives the color glands of nature, and restores your hair to a beautiful dark shade or to its natural color. It is the only hair color restorer that will gradually darken all your gray hair in this manner. No matter how gray, prematurely gray, faded or lusterless your hair might be, "La Creole" Hair Dressing will make it beautifully dark, soft and lustrous. "La Creole" Hair Dressing will not stain the scalp, wash or rub off, and is easily applied by simply combing or brushing through the hair. Don't be misled into buying some cheap preparation.

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"LA CREOLE" HAIR DRESSING
for gray or faded hair and retain the appearance of youth. Also used by gentlemen to impart an even dark color to their gray hair, beard or mustache. For sale by White's Drug Stores, Judge & Dolph Drug Stores and all good drug stores everywhere. Orders from out-of-town customers filled promptly upon receipt of regular price, \$1.25.—ADVERTIMENT.



Nurses Recommend Cuticura Soap

It appeals to them because it is so pure and cleansing. It does much to keep the skin clear and healthy especially if assisted by touches of Cuticura Ointment to first signs of pimples, redness, roughness or chafing. Ideal for toilet uses.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address post-card:
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Women's Stockings, Pair

Of brown lisle, with double splicings at heels and toes. Slight seconds.
25c
(Square 6, Main Floor.)

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SIXTH-WASHINGTON-SEVENTH & LUCAS

Georgette Crepe Waists

Beautiful new styles; some hand-embroidered; others lace-trimmed or smartly tailored. Also some of crepe de chine; special, at
\$2.98
(Square 15—Main Floor.)

Every Day a Full Measure of Values in the July Sales



This July Clearing of

Pianos and Players

is an event that holds much of interest for any home contemplating the purchase of a Player or Piano.

It brings some of the best instruments at decisive savings and every player or piano offered is one that will meet the ready approval of musicians.

Every instrument is guaranteed by Stix, Baer & Fuller.

The Sale Embraces
New Player Pianos

at \$355

All 88-note size, in attractive design and fully guaranteed.

A Number of Used Pianos and Players
—and some that have been in our Demonstration Rooms, are offered at very low prices.

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A Sale of Men's Collars

—in which 10,000 Collars, the surplus stocks and maker's samples, in desired shapes, are priced at

2 for 25c
\$1.25 Dozen

A collar event of this magnitude is certain to meet with great response with far-seeing men. The present high cost of Collars will compel men to have regard for economy to lay in several months' supply from this sale. Included are

6000 Starched "Silver" Collars

4000 Soft "Carliess Coon" Collars

The starched collars are all clean and fresh, in original packages, while the soft collars are slightly soiled from handling.

There are all sizes in the aggregate lots, though not in every size and style.

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

For the Man Who Has a Summer Suit Need We Suggest These Kuppenheimer Air-O-Weave Suits

Which Are
Special at

\$10.50

They have come to us through a special purchase from the makers at decided price savings, and we offer them to St. Louis men at the same advantage we enjoyed in their purchase.

They are suits tailored up to the exacted high standards of all Kuppenheimer clothes, and come in the wanted shades of tan and gray, as well as mixtures.

There are all sizes in the various models.

Priestley's Mohair Suits, in plain as well as striped patterns, in the July Clearing Sale at
\$12.75, \$16.75 and \$19.75

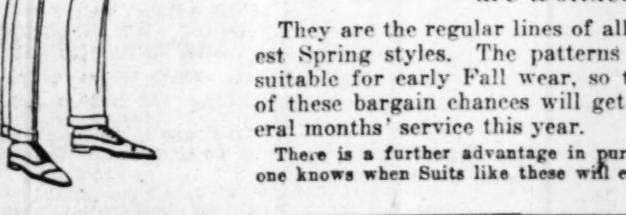
Men's Wool Suits at \$21.50

—are wonderful values.

They are the regular lines of all-wool garments, and in the latest Spring styles. The patterns and the materials make them suitable for early Fall wear, so that men who avail themselves of these bargain chances will get suits for which there are several months' service this year.

There is a further advantage in purchasing now for future use, for no one knows when Suits like these will ever again be priced so low.

(Men's Store—Main Floor.)



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HUNDREDS of fresh, dainty new tub garments purchased at great price concessions, and offered in one lot,

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SUCH charming tub dresses as these every woman will have need for. They are fashioned in the newest modes and are such garments as women of particular taste will readily approve.

Included are becoming styles in voiles, tissue ginghams, batistes, dimities and lawns

Some are attractively trimmed with embroidery—others with organdy fichus, while some have pique trimmings, and many are in combination effect, with plaid skirts and solid colored coatees.

They are all offered in the Second Floor Dress Section, and there are sizes 16, 18, 20, as well as 36 to 46.

Also included are stouts, in sizes 43 to 53.

Nine of the Styles Are Shown

(Second Floor.)



Thursday—Apron Day

IN the Apron section we have planned to be of great helpfulness to women tomorrow.

Exceptional values in Aprons of every character and for various uses have been assembled. The listing below gives some idea of the range, but the Aprons should be seen to appreciate their full value.

2 Burned to Death in Fall of Plane.
By the Associated Press.
TOKYO, July 17.—Lieut. W. E. Tate and Mechanic Belford of the royal air force were burned to death when their machine fell at Leaside Camp last night. They were testing the engine when it stopped and the airplane burst into flames.



High Quality—Low Price & Easy Terms

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Suburban Model.....\$425

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Country Seat Model....\$510

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White House Model....\$575

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Silk-Trimmed

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\$6.75

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A Full Line
men's clothing in all styles and materials, at the same substantial savings.

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It won't itch now, dear

Resinol

will help to make it well and relieve the smart and pain.

Do not neglect a spot of eczema, rash, or other itching, burning eruptions and sores, because children's skins are easily irritated, and if the hurt is neglected, obstinate trouble may persist in later life.

Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap were originated by a doctor and have been used by doctors for many years. All dealers sell them.

COL. JAMES G. BUTLER'S WIDOW DIES, AGED 76

Inherited Half of \$4,000,000
Left by Husband—Made Large
Gifts to School and Church.

Mrs. Margaret Leggat Butler, 76 years old, widow of Col. James Gay Butler, philanthropist and tobacco manufacturer, died last night at her home, 4484 West Pine boulevard. She has been an invalid for 10 years.

She inherited half of the \$4,000,000 fortune formed by her husband, who died in August, 1916. He bequeathed the other half to Lindenwood College at St. Charles and other educational and charitable institutions and relatives.

Mr. Butler recently made gifts of \$250,000 to Lindenwood College and \$100,000 to the Second Presbyterian Church, Taylor avenue and Westminster place. It is expected these institutions will be the large beneficiaries from her estate. Robert D. Leggat, a brother, and Mrs. Nellie Eastlick, a niece, were with her when she died.

Dr. John A. McIvor, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, who is now in Nova Scotia, and Dr. John L. Roemer, president of Lindenwood College, who is in Chicago, have been notified of her death. Funeral arrangements will not be made until they arrive in St. Louis. The Butler family had a \$25,000 mausoleum in Bellfontaine cemetery.

The estate inherited from her husband, Mr. Butler consisted mainly of stocks and bonds in the American Tobacco Co., the P. Lorillard Tobacco Co., the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. and the British-American Tobacco Co. Col. Butler founded the Industrial Loan Co., known as the "Poor Man's Bank," for many years before his death he had given away his entire income.

City News in Brief

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rabbi Leon Harrison of Temple Israel will begin a lecture tour of training camps in the East for the Jewish Welfare Board, at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., Thursday. His itinerary will include Boston, Fort Slocum, Camp Merritt, Picatinny Arsenal, Pelham Bay, Camp Upton, Camp Dix and Newport, R. I.

The class of men of the Second Ward will be given an excursion and farewell party next Sunday on the steamer Liberty. The boat will leave the foot of Olive street at 9:30 a. m. and will return at 6:30 p. m. The public is invited. The proceeds will be used to hire a band when the men entrain, July 25.

Wardrobe with shelves or chests of drawers in which to store finished surgical bandages are wanted by the St. Louis Chapter of the Italian War Relief Fund of America, which has headquarters at 1320 Olive street. A wagon will call for the articles if persons wishing to donate or loan them will telephone Olive 2389.

The annual picnic of the Retail Grocers' Association of St. Louis will be held tomorrow at Forest Park Highlands.

Everybody's Luncheon, 3440 Market street, was posted and put on probation Tuesday for one week by the United States Food Administration because the proprietor had been using too much wheat. John Fay, grocery and saloon, 4101 North Euclid avenue, was also posted and put on probation for one week for selling two pounds of sugar for 20 cents when the price is only 9 cents per pound.

The recently organized St. Louis Chapter of the Hadassah has called a mass meeting for Jewish women for tomorrow at 2 p. m. at B'nai Amoona Congregation, Academy and Vernon avenues. This day is the anniversary of the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem by Titus and is observed by fasting and prayer. Rabbi Abraham Abramovitz of Shreveport, La., will be the principal speaker.

POLICE ITEMS

Jewelry and silverware were ignored by a burglar who ransacked the home of John Nicoll, 7035 Gladies avenue yesterday afternoon. He took a number of playboy and an alarm clock. Clothing and jewelry valued at \$750 were reported stolen in burglaries at the homes of Mrs. John P. Trimer, 5633 Clemens avenue; Mrs. Anna Sebastianus, 816A South Vandeventer avenue; Mrs. A. A. Flanders, 4519 Lacledie avenue; Mosby Collins, Webster Groves; John H. Korder, 2350A Clark avenue, and Mrs. Elsie Steward, 103A Ferry street.

Mrs. Mabel McQuillan of 1513 South Eleventh street last night requested the arrest of her husband, Henry McQuillan, from whom she has been separated for the past week. She told the police that he bombarded her home with stones and broke three windows when she refused to permit him to enter the house. He is being sought.

Clothes valued at \$600, several old coins and \$8.73 in currency were reported stolen yesterday afternoon from the shop of the St. Louis Fancy Work Co. on the fourth floor at 616 Washington avenue.

David Hanrahan of 2524 Howard street told the police that he was held up by two men in front of his home last night and robbed of \$6.50. Two highwaymen took \$23 from Louis Kopolow, 1219 North Thir-

teenth street, at Third street and Franklin avenue.

Five automobiles reported stolen yesterday belonged to P. Conrad, 5225 North Market street; Arthur O'Bryan, 4537 Harris avenue; Marcellus Bros., 5251 Delmar boulevard; William Plummer, 910 Franklin avenue, and Charles C. Holt, 4615 Washington boulevard.

Employees of the Frisco freight office, 715 South Seventh street, raised a service flag containing 23 stars at noon today. Samuel Hughes, industrial agent of the Frisco system, made an address.

Private Walter O. Latham, 31 years old, of 115 Etta avenue, was knocked from a motor cycle yesterday afternoon at Pestalozzi street and Minnesota avenue, in a collision with an automobile operated by William Krenning, 19 years old, a chauffeur of 2926 Michigan avenue. His right leg was fractured and he was cut on the face. Krenning was arrested.

John Walter, 12 years old, of 2029A Bremen avenue, was knocked from his bicycle at Bremen avenue and Twenty-fifth street yesterday afternoon when he collided with a Lee street car. He was cut on the head and face.

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Employes of the Frisco freight office, 715 South Seventh street, raised a service flag containing 23 stars at noon today. Samuel Hughes, industrial agent of the Frisco system, made an address.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 17, 1918.

Are You the Dupe of a Patriotrick?

A PATRIOTRICK is a swindle by which your patriotism is twisted to serve the selfish interests of another. It usually takes the form of a spreading rumor that a certain brand of goods is owned or controlled by Alien Enemies. True patriots do not want to buy such goods and in times like these a lie has a thousand lives and travels on broad, fleet wings. The patriotrick is not a new trick. Dozens of loyal American, French and British firms suffered from it, even before America entered the war.

We and our customers are victims of it today. We can no longer ignore the fact that thousands of druggists and dentists have been told, and are innocently passing along the story, that Pebeco Tooth Paste is an Alien Enemy product.

The story is untrue. Its only possible foundation is the fact that the formula for Pebeco was originated years ago in the laboratory of a Hamburg scientist.

Pebeco has been made in New York City since 1903. Every share of Lehn & Fink stock and every dollar's worth of bonds are owned by American citizens.

Sole license for the manufacture of Pebeco has been granted to Lehn & Fink by the United States Federal Trade Commission.

All the officers and directors of Lehn & Fink are American citizens, and only American capital is used. Lehn & Fink is not subsidized by nor connected with any other concern, American or Foreign.

Don't be the dupe of the patriotrickster.



Pebeco Tooth Paste is for sale by all druggists
Manufactured by LEHN & FINK, Inc.,
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Irwin's
509 WASHINGTON AVE.

400 NEW Silk Skirts

At Less Than the Cost
of the Materials

A lucky purchase by our New York buyer—every Skirt fresh from the maker's sample room!

In the lot are beautiful novelty silks in every fashionable combination of colors, striped silks, plaid silks, silk poplins and two-tone silks; made in the newest ways.

Save Almost Half on These Skirts



\$3.95
95c

WAISTS 600 new voile and organdie Waists—sheer, cool
Summer Waists just unpacked; worth considerable
more

WILL BE A GUEST AT
POINT-AUX-BARQUES



MISS LUCILE CORNET.

UNSTINTED HOSPITALITY FOR TWO WAR WORKERS

St. Louis Society Regrets Departure of Countess de Bryas and Mrs. Martha McCan.

SOCIETY has been deeply interested in the visit of two distinguished women to St. Louis within the past week—Countess Madeleine de Bryas of Paris, who was a guest from Thursday until Sunday of last week, and Mrs. Martha Nelson McCan of Los Angeles, who is here at present, and many delightful social affairs have been given in their honor which the limited time of their visits would permit.

Both women have been actively engaged in war work abroad and have had experiences of most unusual interest to relate, as well as portraying the most graphic picture of conditions as they exist in the war-torn districts of Europe.

Countess de Bryas, who is touring the country in the interest of the American Committee for Devastated France, was the honoree of a number of social courtesies among which was a tea at the Sunset Hill Country Club on Saturday afternoon by Mrs. James M. Francis of 10 Lenox place.

Mrs. McCan, who is touring Missouri at the request of the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, under the auspices of the Committee on Public Information, went abroad last year in behalf of the Ordnance Division of the War Department, and has but recently returned. During her stay in London from Sept. 1 to Dec. 1 she witnessed 100 air raids.

Mrs. McCan was the guest of honor at the St. Louis Country Club on Monday at a luncheon given by members of the Junior League, and other honor guests included Misses Charles Scudder, Neill A. McMillan, Robert McKittrick Jones, Walker Hill, Harvey G. Mudd, John T. Davis and Miss Sarah Tower. She was the honoree yesterday of a luncheon given by the Advertising Club of St. Louis at which the members of St. Louis Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, members of the Town Club, St. Louis Woman's Advertising Club and other women interested in war work were guests. Several informal private affairs have been arranged for her and it is with regret that the two distinguished visitors could not have remained longer, so that more St. Louis hospitality could have been extended them.

Social Items

Miss Lucile Cornet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cornet of 4555 Berlin avenue, will deport soon for Point-aux-Barques, Mich., where she will be the guest of Miss Sunie Cabanne Smith at the summer home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sheppard Smith of 4334 Westminster place.

Mrs. Elkin L. Franklin, wife of Lieut. Franklin, U. S. A., and formerly Miss Emily B. Clopton, has come to St. Louis and will open the home of her brother, Dr. Malvern B. Clopton, at 5391 Waterman avenue, which she will occupy for several months. Dr. Clopton is now in France.

Among the St. Louisans at Narragansett Pier are Mrs. Harry C. Woods of the St. Regis Apartments and her infant daughter. Mr. Woods will join them later in the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Clark of 4955 Berlin avenue have been recent guests in New York City, having stopped over en route to Lake Mohonk, N. Y., where they will spend the rest of the summer.

Miss Florence Wade of the Oxford Apartments has been in Chicago attending a conference of representatives under the auspices of the National Woman's Liberty Loan Committee, of which Miss Wade is one of the Federal reserve chairmen.

Among the St. Louisans sojourn-

ing in Canada are Mrs. E. J. Krause of the Netherby Hall Apartments, who, with her daughter, Miss Harriette Krause, and her two sons, Horace and Charles Krause, have opened their summer home at Kingsville, Ontario.

Miss Margaret Stephenson of Nevada, Mo., is the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Otto J. Presser of 3825 Cleveland Avenue.

Mother and Friends of Company L 8th Infantry, now overseas, will hold their bimonthly meeting Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in the auditorium of Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney's.

Lieut. Grover Godwin of the Avia-

tion Corps arrived in St. Louis Sunday from Barron Field, Fort Worth, Tex., to spend a 10 days' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. W. Godwin, 5064 Washington Boulevard. Lieut. Godwin received his commission last week.

Board in the suburbs is offered through Post-Dispatch Want.

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Something You Should Have While Away

Before leaving for your summer vacation, order the POST-DISPATCH Want to your summer home. It will keep you in touch with us. If you order to your carrier, or notify us by mail, or you can phone if more convenient. Price \$1.00. Call "Want" 2500.

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The genial atmosphere that per-

vades the modern well-conduc-

ing boarding house is refreshing to the

person who must board. A Post-Di-

patch Want Ad will introduce you.

Patents allowed and pending.

LEONARD WENDELL

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Chlorine Industry Taken Over.
By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—To assure sufficient chlorine for the manufacture of gas shells and other war purposes, the War Industries Board, with the approval of President Wilson, has taken over the chlorine industry of the United States. For the present the Government will do no more than allocate the product.

"I JUST want to thank you for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is fine. I use it for my baby, my husband and myself, and simply can't do without a bottle of it in the house."

(From a letter to Dr. Caldwell written by Mrs. John W. Christensen, 603 So. 2nd East, Brigham City, Utah)

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

The Perfect Laxative

Sold by Druggists Everywhere
50 cts. (Two Sizes) \$1.00

Quickly corrects disorders of the intestinal tract, relieves the congestion and restores normal regularity. It is gentle in action and does not gripe. A trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 458 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

A New Store for Electric Wants

Electric Household Appliances of Highest Merit at Prices Unusually Reasonable!

G. E. Fans and Motors
Universal Cooking and Heating Appliances
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Make Your Home Bright for the Summer

You don't want to hang faded draperies, nor use old chair covers again this summer, do you?

Neither do you want to go to the expense of buying new ones!

Take the old ones — restore their color — clean and freshen and make like new — with

RIT
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"The Original"

Accept No Substitutes

Washes and Dyes in One Operation
No Boiling—Fast Colors

RIT comes in a wonderful variety of Beautiful Dye Shades. It will neither stain hands nor washbowl. The goods is never streaked. Will not injure any fabric. Keep a supply of beautiful RIT Shades on hand for instant use. Get RIT now—ask your dealer. Sunbeam Chemical Co., Inc., Chicago, New York, Los Angeles, Toronto, Can.

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NEVER SAY "DYE" - SAY RIT

CITY WILL HAVE BABY EXHIBIT AT MILK FUND PICNIC

Department of Public Welfare to Show What Municipality Is Doing to Save the Lives of Infants.

WOMEN TO INSTALL A MODEL KITCHEN

Federal Experts to Attend—Miss Martin's Program Arranged—Milk Fund Booth at Economy Grocery Picnic.

CONTRIBUTIONS

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| Previously acknowledged | \$1,296.05 |
| "Class D., Columbian Club" | 25.00 |
| Carnival | 21.50 |
| Sales | 7.05 |
| "Three Little Sisters" | 1.00 |
| Agnes G. McKee | 5219 |
| Ridge avenue | 2.00 |
| | \$1,352.60 |

Would you like to see an actual demonstration of the latest approved scientific methods of weighing and measuring the baby?

Would you like to see also demonstrations of how the baby should be bathed and clothed? Would you like to examine samples of baby records and charts? Are there any questions you would like to ask of persons whose special study is the care of the health of babies?

Go next Saturday to Forest Park Highlands to the big all-day family picnic to be given under the auspices of the West End Business Men's Association for the benefit of the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund, and ask for the baby exhibit. All the information desired will be freely given there.

Exhibit of Model Baby Center.

The exhibit is to be installed by municipal Department of Public Welfare and John Schmoll, director of the department, will be present and deliver an address on the subject of baby conservation and the Welfare baby center will be placed in a large hall and will represent a model baby center. It will be in the immediate charge of Miss L. Anderson, head visiting nurse of the Welfare department. One or more city nurses will be on duty at the tent all day, and in addition to the demonstrations to be given all questions concerning child welfare will be answered. Maps will be shown to indicate the amount of child welfare work coming through the Department of Public Welfare and hand bills will be distributed giving the names and hours of baby welfare and tuberculosis clinics. The physicians who work at these clinics depend greatly upon the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund to supply pure milk and ice to poor mothers to enable them to carry out the instructions regarding the care of their infants which they receive at the clinics.

Women's Food Exhibit.

The location of the exhibit to be installed at the picnic by the St. Louis Women's Committee of the United States Food Administration has been chosen. It is at the south end of the pavilion. One of the most attractive features of the exhibit will be a model Patriots' Kitchen, which will be outfitted in whole throughout with the most modern cooking utensils and kitchen appliances. Through the courtesy of J. J. Burns of the Laclede Gas Light Co. in having a gas connection made the women's committee will be enabled to give demonstrations in war cooking, and there also will be demonstrations of the cold pack method of canning fruits and vegetables. These will be given by Federal experts.

Not only the work that the women have been doing to conserve the food supply, but that of the children in the boys' and girls' canning clubs also will be shown. Mrs. Alfred Buschmann, head of the juveniles, will be in attendance with a band of her workers to give demonstrations of their work.

Miss Martin's Dance Number. The program has been arranged for the headliner dance number which will be put on by Miss Alice Martin, well known dancing instructor, and several of her pupils at the theater in the afternoon, in connection with the regular vaudeville bill. The dance advertisements will occur about 15 minutes, with the program as follows:

La Petite Coquette.....Clara Allen
La Ballerina.....Ruth Hart
Lucille Arth, Mary Muller, Florence Rehn,
Adrienne Sykes,....Kathleen
Brahms' Fifth Hungarian Dance.....Grace Oberseh
Economy Grocery Picnic.

The Economy Grocery of 805 North Sixth street will give its annual picnic for its employees and customers, and for grocers in general, at Forest Park Highlands tomorrow. F. L. Pfeiffer, proprietor of the grocery, has announced that at the picnic there will be one booth at which goods donated by grocers will be sold for the benefit of the Milk and Ice Fund. "We want to do something for our babies at home," Mr. Pfeiffer said. "Every penny of the receipts from the booth will go to help them." The attendance at last year's picnic was estimated at

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The Silk Shirt House

Clearing Sale

of High-Grade

Silk
and

Madras Shirts

The Silks—

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| \$8.85 | will buy | \$12.00 | qualities |
| \$7.85 | will buy | \$10.00 | qualities |
| \$6.85 | will buy | \$8.50 | qualities |
| \$5.85 | will buy | \$7.50 | qualities |
| \$4.85 | will buy | \$6 | and \$6.50 qualities |
| \$3.85 | will buy | \$5.00 | qualities |

The Madras—

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| \$1.15 | will buy | \$4.00 | and \$4.50 qualities |
| \$2.85 | will buy | \$3.50 | qualities |
| \$2.25 | will buy | \$3.00 | qualities |
| \$1.95 | will buy | \$2.50 | qualities |
| \$1.55 | will buy | \$2.00 | qualities |

Shirts of the Manhattan make are not included in this Clearing Sale, nor are our White and Solid Color Shirts having collars, either attached or detached.

Investigate Our Special Clothing Reductions

Palm Beach Cool Cloth Flannel Suits

NOW **\$10.75**

25% Discount on All Soft Straws

Greenfield's

Olive and Eighth



Take home a brick for supper

Nothing is more cooling and delicious for dessert than good ice cream. On your way home, stop in the store that sells St. Louis Dairy Co.'s Guaranteed Ice Cream—the Guaranteed Government Butterfat Standard. You will find the guarantee printed on the box: 14% butterfat in vanilla, 12% butterfat in fruit creams. That high percentage of butterfat means richer, smoother, more delicious ice cream.

**St. Louis
Dairy Co's
Guaranteed
Ice Cream**

Wherever you see the above sign, you can be sure that extra good ice cream is sold there. Every gallon of cream that goes into the making of St. Louis Dairy Co.'s Ice Cream is tested by expert analysts to make certain that the finished ice cream will contain the full legal percentage of butterfat.

DOUBLE EAGLE STAMPS

ST.LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER
Benny & Jenkins
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

Clearance Sale of Silk Dresses

\$14.98 Values \$9.48
at.....

Beautifully fashioned in many pleasing models with Georgette crepe collar and sleeves. They are made of crepe de chine, taffeta silk and silk poplin. Come in latest shades; sizes 16 to 42 bust.

\$12 Tub Dresses, \$7.50

In various styles of fancy voile and tissue.

\$4 Gingham Dresses, \$2.88

Neatly made with white organdy collar and patent leather belt.

75c Aprons Extra Special 50c
Women's Kitchen Aprons, of best Amoskeag gingham.

\$2 Bungalow Aprons, \$1.39
Some are extra sizes; clearing sale price, \$1.39.

25c Toweling Extra Size Vests 29c
Special, Yard... 19c
200 dozen Children's Hose; black only; fine ribbed; double heels and toes.

White Goods 50c Value... 25c
Men's 25c Socks; Men's Cotton Socks; black, tan and gray.
Satin stripe Skirting; 35 inches wide.

Women's \$3.50 Low Shoes, \$1.95
3000 pairs of Women's Patent and Dull Low Shoes at a price less than the cost of the material in them. Choice of pump and strap styles; newest patterns. All are perfect. Special for Thursday only.

\$1.95

\$2 Porch Screens 1.19
Bamboo Porch Screens; complete with frame and pulleys.

Linoleum 49c
Special, Square 49c
Bird & Son's Neoprene brand linoleum, waterproof, non-slip, in large variety of patterns; beautiful wood, fake, black or tile designs; cut from rolls to many yards as desired; every yard perfect.

Men's \$1.65 Khaki Pants \$1.15
Special, at...
Union Made; cuff bottoms; belt loops, etc.; all sizes.

Men's \$2.50 Pants \$1.95
Union Made; medium dark gray, belt loops; heavy drill pockets; all sizes.

Boys' \$3 Wash Suits \$1.48
Finest galateas; beautifully made; pink, navy and black; shapes are latest; sizes 2 to 8 years. Thursday only at...

New Styles in Satin Shapes \$1.98
Classy new Midsummer Hats of beautiful satin; white, pink, navy and black; shapes are latest; sizes 2 to 8 years. Thursday only at...

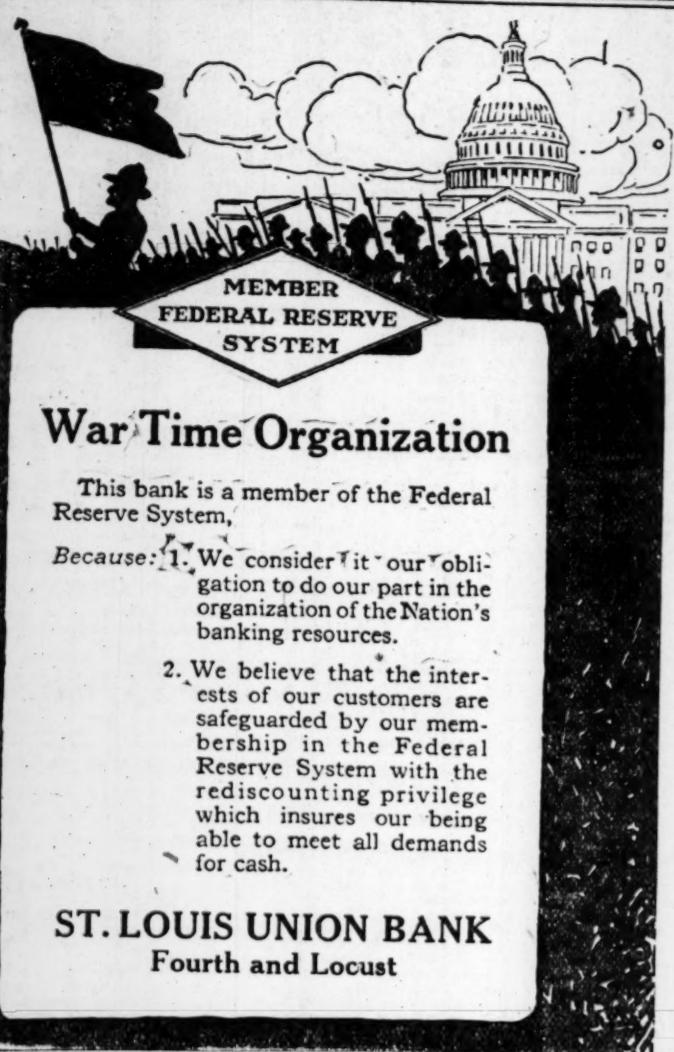
DR. E. R. VAN BOVEN, Dentist
Plates and Bridge Work \$5 UP
Satisfaction Guaranteed
Over Childs' Restaurant
614 OLIVE ST.

CITY WILL BABY E MILK Continued From 26,000, he said.

**CITY WILL HAVE
BABY EXHIBIT AT
MILK FUND PICNIC**
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26,000, he said, and he expected ful-

ly as large a crowd this year.
Persons who attend either tomorrow's or Saturday's picnic will have an opportunity to see an unusually good vaudeville performance in the Highlands theater. The bill is headed by Santi, an Oriental dancer who



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This bank is a member of the Federal Reserve System.

Because: 1. We consider it our obligation to do our part in the organization of the Nation's banking resources.

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ST. LOUIS UNION BANK
Fourth and Locust

SHE WILL BE "IN THE SHADOW OF THE MOON"



MISS BETTAYE FRIELOF.

Under the direction of her sister, Miss Sadie Friedlof, the musical entertainment whose title is quoted above, will be presented at the Lindell Theater, Grand and Hebert streets, the evening of July 24.

has been compared favorably with some of the better known dancers of the day.

**Carnival Earns \$21.50 and Sale of
Donated Articles \$7.05 to Help
Babies.**

A carnival at 3946 Lee avenue July 13 for the benefit of the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund was one of the most successful affairs of its kind this season. It yielded \$21.50. Friends of the children donated the articles which were sold. The workers were Frank and

COMING BENEFITS FOR MILK AND ICE FUND

Wednesday, July 17.—Card party, Forest Park Highlands Cottage, management Mrs. T. D. Gerstley, 1398 Granville place.

Saturday, July 20.—Great all-day family picnic, Forest Park Highlands, under auspices of West End Business Men's Association.

Wednesday, July 24.—"In the Shadow of the Moon," Lindell Theater, direction Miss Sadie Friedlof.

Saturday, Aug. 11.—Aquatic carnival, Sunset Hill Country Club.

Mary Kremer, 3946; Corinne Vail, 3910; Maecliff Buss, 3934; Charles

Martin, 3903W; Anthony and Franklin Rist, 3902 Lee avenue, and Paul Cotter.

Four children conducted a sale of miscellaneous articles at 6235 Clay-

ton avenue which brought the fund \$7.05. They were Evelyn Beckerman, 1123 Graham avenue; Osgood Palmer, 6235 Clayton avenue; Mar-

tin Larner, 6307 Clayton, and Gladys

Puls. Among the articles contribut-

ed by neighbors for the sale were

a hand-embroidered guest towel, a

hand-painted dish and a cake.

Loftis Bros. & Co. will turn too for
Diamond or Watch 2d G. 358 N. 8th—ADV

CHARGED WITH DIAMOND THEFT

Traveling Salesman Denies Robbing

Frien's Pawnshop.

John C. Deitch, 44 years old, who

gave his occupation as that of a

traveling salesman and his home ad-

dress as Chicago, was arrested at

Hotel Statler yesterday on a tele-

gram from the police of Indianapolis

stating that he was wanted there

on a charge of stealing \$1500 worth

of diamonds.

It is alleged Deitch took the dia-

monds from the pawnshop of Oscar Bloom, his friend of many years when he was watching the store while Bloom was on a business trip. Deitch denied the charge.

Safe Milk for
Infants and Invalids

HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL
MALTLED MILK

Rich milk, malted grain, in powder form

For infants, invalids, growing children

Pure nutrition, upbuilding the whole body

Invigorates nursing mothers and the aged

More nutritious than tea, coffee, etc.

Instantly prepared. Requires no cooking.

Substitutes Cost YOU Same Price

No Single Feature Could Give Such High Efficiency

"More Miles per Gallon"
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| 5-Passenger Car | • 825 |
| Roadster | 825 |
| 5-Passenger, with All-Weather Top | 935 |
| 5-Pass. Sedan | 1275 |
| 6-Pass. Town Car | 1275 |
| All prices f. o. b. Detroit. With wheel regular equipment with Sedan and Town Car | |



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Special Dealers:
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504-6 State Street,
East St. Louis, Ill.

We said recently that this Maxwell Motor Car is a "featureless car."

By that we meant that no one feature was better than any other—and none less efficient or effective.

Uniformity is the outstanding quality of Maxwell design and construction.

Apropos that, we are frequently asked what particular detail of the motor is responsible for the tremendous mileage per gallon of gasoline obtained by Maxwell owners.

If you ask an owner he will almost invariably give the carburetor most of the credit.

Now, obviously, the carburetor must be a good one. If it were not, it would prevent, even if it did not accomplish the result.

But a good carburetor does not make a good motor car—or an efficient mixing valve alone an efficient motor.

The factors that made that famous "Non-Stop" record possible, and the test in which 3,000 owner-driven Maxwell Motor Cars averaged 29.4 miles per gallon of gasoline—were many.

Every detail of motor design had to be right—every proportion just right in relation to every other one.

Piston displacement, valve dimensions and valve lift, compression, balance—everything in precise ratio and correct relation to every other detail.

*Would require a volume to tell how Maxwell engineers achieved that splendid result. Just as it required long years of practical manufacturing experience to know how.

Of course the carburetor helps—but equally so does the electrical system.

By the way, if this were the kind of motor car in which any one feature stood out above others, we would emphasize that electrical system.

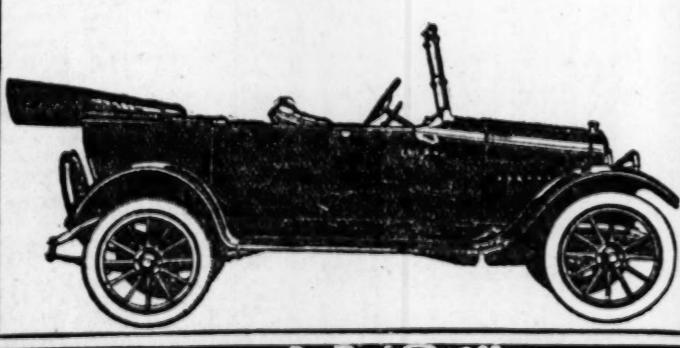
But it isn't. Maxwell results are uniform. Those results are the product of a combination of many features—not of one or two only.

Similarly, if one owner achieved a sensational mileage or a high degree of reliability, that would prove nothing.

That happens with all makes of cars—the poorest included.

But for 3,000 owners to average 29.4 miles per gallon of gasoline;

For the same model to run 22,022 miles—44 consecutive days and nights without stopping—THAT CAR MUST BE A MAXWELL.



At Delmar and Lake One Block West of Kingshighway

is located one of the splendid Standard Oil Filling Stations. This is only one of many and each one is a definite step in the direction of maximum efficiency and service to the motorist. At these stations you will find every courtesy when you

Buy Red Crown Gasoline

the best gasoline in the world. Red Crown gives greater mileage, greater speed and greater power—but not one of these features is dwarfed by the fact that Red Crown is sold everywhere—at every crossroad, in every hamlet—and no matter where you are Red Crown is always the same.

21.9c Per Gallon at Delmar & Lake and Other Standard Oil Service Stations Listed Below:

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Kingshighway & Manchester
Delmar & Lake
DeBaliviere & Westminster
Delmar & Eastgate (6300 West)
Kingshighway & Garfield
Park & Lawrence (4000 West)

NORTH

Sixth & Cass
15th & St. Louis Ave.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY

Grand & Cass Ave.
Warne Ave. (4333) near Florissant
Robinson Garage (3730 Sullivan Ave.)
DeSoto & McKissick (5100 North)
Broadway & Christian Ave. (7901 North)

SOUTH

Jefferson & Ann (2200 South)
Grand & Connecticut (3100 South)
Broadway & Zepp (3400 South)
Grand & Keokuk (3900 South)
Gravois (Opposite Bevo Mill)
Grand & Iron (6300 South)
Michigan and Koen (7500 South)

St. Louis County

Pattonville—C. C. Brannen
Clayton on North and South Road
Wellston—St. Charles Rock Road and
Ter. Tracks
Gumbo—Peter Gluck
Olivette—A. Castillion

Standard Oil Company

(Indiana)

St. Louis, Missouri

FISHERMEN FORCED INTO HARVEST FIELDS

**St. Louis Parties Marched Behind
Gun and Told to Shock
Golden Grain.**

There's a new commandment given unto St. Louis fishermen who fail would fish along the shores of the Mississippi River. It is this: "Six days shalt thou harvest and on the seventh day thou shalt do all thy fishing." No fishing is allowed on week days. Fishermen are shamed to have the harvest done as soon as they light in the country.

Ernest Hiland of 3750 Minnesota avenue and a party of friends went up there in a motor truck the other day and pitched camp on the Illinois for a week's outing and fishing. Pretty soon up chugs a motor cycle with a man on it and the man has a gun slung at his back and he says, "Hello, fellers, what are you going to do?" And Hiland says they "calate to do some fishing."

"Ho, ho," says the motor cycle man with the gun, "you'll calate to do some fishing, you know. Ain't you heard about the big gun that this country's got?"

Hiland and the others all said they had heard about it, but they didn't see what that had to do with their fishing. The motor cycle man said it had so much to do with their fishing that they weren't going to go, leastways, not on week days. Sundays they could fish as much as they darned please, but week days the U. S. Government wanted them in the harvest fields, so they had better come along.

The went along, eight of them, and told the livelong day to John Magie's farm, pitching wheat or oats or something they don't know what, except that every sheaf was heavier than the one before it. They stuck to it two days and while they were there the busy little motor cycle man brought in two other parties, one of 16 men who had made the trip from St. Louis in a bewy truck.

The second night the Hiland party decided that a day's fishing on Sunday was not worth a week's harding, so while the U. S. Government was away on his motor cycle rounding up more fishermen, the Hiland party hitched up and left without bothering to collect their wages.

1918 Alten Registrants Examined. The class of men registered in Alton June 5, 1918, for military service was called up for examination today before the Alton Acceptance Board. Questionnaires sent out showed that many of this class had already received some branch of the service.

**Housekeepers Can Save
200,000,000 on Food**

In these days when the high cost of living pinches nearly every home, no waste should be overlooked. One of the most flagrant and the most easily prevented is the destruction of food by rats. One rat will often do a hundred dollars' damage to food and property in a single night, and a careful estimate gives over \$200,000,000 as the value of foodstuffs destroyed annually by these pests.

The government at Washington is preparing a campaign that should be effective in killing the rats that are so destructive, both to homes and property, and in the present state of food the less must be prevented. The most efficient way to "Kill the Rat" is by the use of Stearns Paste, and thousands of dollars' worth have been bought by the government. Every housekeeper troubled with rats, mice, rats, fleas, bed bugs should buy a small box of this reliable exterminator and stop further loss of food in her home.—ADV.

PRIEST GOES TO ARMY CAMP

MAN WITH WOMAN WHO TOOK POISON AT HOTEL, SURRENDERS

**Paul J. Mauers, Enemy Alien, Denies
Girl's Claim That She Is
His Wife.**

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Mauers was born Sister T. R. Woods Gets Sister of Mercy Habit. The Rev. Father Thomas R. Woods of the Holy Rosary Catholic Church, left St. Louis yesterday to assume his duties as Chaplain at an army camp, and his sister, Miss Helen Woods, of St. Louis, received the habit of the religious order of the Sisters of Mercy. Miss Woods was one of four young women postulants who received the habit.

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Arkansas Traveler Loses Her Whistle.

When Mrs. C. Reed of Hot Springs, Ark., left the home of her sister, Mrs. W. Bradbury, 5565 Delmar boulevard, in a taxicab last night, she had a suit case and a bag. When she reached Union Station the bag was gone. Mrs. Reed told the police that it contained two quarts of whisky, a half-gallon jug of whisky and two quarts of wine. Arkansas is dry.

Pays Court \$1500 Under Bond.

Louis Rusznack, a saloon keeper, of 4057 North Broadway, today paid \$1500 in the United States District Court, the amount of a bond which he signed for the appearance of Bert B. Pursey, a Terminal Railroad employee, who was indicted last May on a charge of theft from an interstate carrier. Pursey did not appear when his case was called June 27.

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Funeral from family residence, 2149 Campnewala street, Friday, July 13, at 10 a.m. at residence, 2149 Campnewala street, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

COROTTI—Entered into rest on Tuesday, July 16, 1918, at 4:18 a.m. at Benton street, Thursday, July 18, at 3 p.m. from residence, 2149 Campnewala street, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

BUTLER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, July 16, 1918, at 4:18 a.m. at Benton street, Thursday, July 18, at 3 p.m. from residence, 2149 Campnewala street, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

PIEKLE—Asleep in Jesus.

Wednesday, July 17, 1918, at 6:20 a.m. from residence, 2149 Campnewala street, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

PIEKLE—Entered into rest Wednesday, July 17, 1918, at 6:20 a.m. from residence, 2149 Campnewala street, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

DECKER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, July 16, 1918, at 4:18 a.m. at Beckman street, Friday, July 19, at 3 p.m. from residence, 2149 Campnewala street, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

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Men used to power machine
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A. and J. Costello, 517 N. Taylor.

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A. and L. Muldrow, 5142 Hickory.

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B. and E. Sankey, Salem, Mo.

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H. and F. Wilder, 5040 Almond.

J. and M. Marischen, 5038 Northland.

M. and P. Bailey, 4406 Fair.

BURIAL PERMITS.

E. G. Ringer, 45, sanitary, dementia.

Lester Koenig, 10 months, dementia;

John Koenig, 10 months, dementia;

Catherine Myers, 48, 1300 Dillon; heart disease.

John Kinsella, 73, 4422 Lindell; paralysis.

Sarah Holt, 15, 2821 Laclede; hemorrhage.

Mr. Walker, 47, 3621 Cass; carcinoma.

Edith Lammett, 1 month, 4836 Margaretta;

John McGrath, 72, 4578 St. Ferdinand; sclerosis.

Geo. Smith, 32, 5800 Easton; meningitis.

Edmund Eccardt, 9 months, 2217 Lynch; encephalitis.

John Patterson, 45, 2401 Dickson; heart disease.

John Egan, 45, 1800 N. 14th; absence.

Tony Jones, 45, 3131 Fair; tuberculosis.

Albert Koenig, 45, 1800 N. 14th; cerebralclerosis.

Allen Ryan, 15, 4407 Easton; sclerosis.

Sally Strawder, 1, 1825 S. 23; pneumonia.

John Koenig, 10 months, 4836 Margaretta;

Ossie Koenig, 6, 1527 Wash.; accidental.

John Koenig, 10 months, 4836 Margaretta;

Marshall Warneke, 28, 3211 Morgan; tubercular.

Mary Curley, 15, 4209 Cote Brilliante; tuberculosis.

Markett Carridon, 67, 1300 N. Jefferson; sclerosis.

Bethel Limbom, 56, 3861 Green; heart disease.

Edwin Koenig, 58, 4223 N. Broadway; heart disease.

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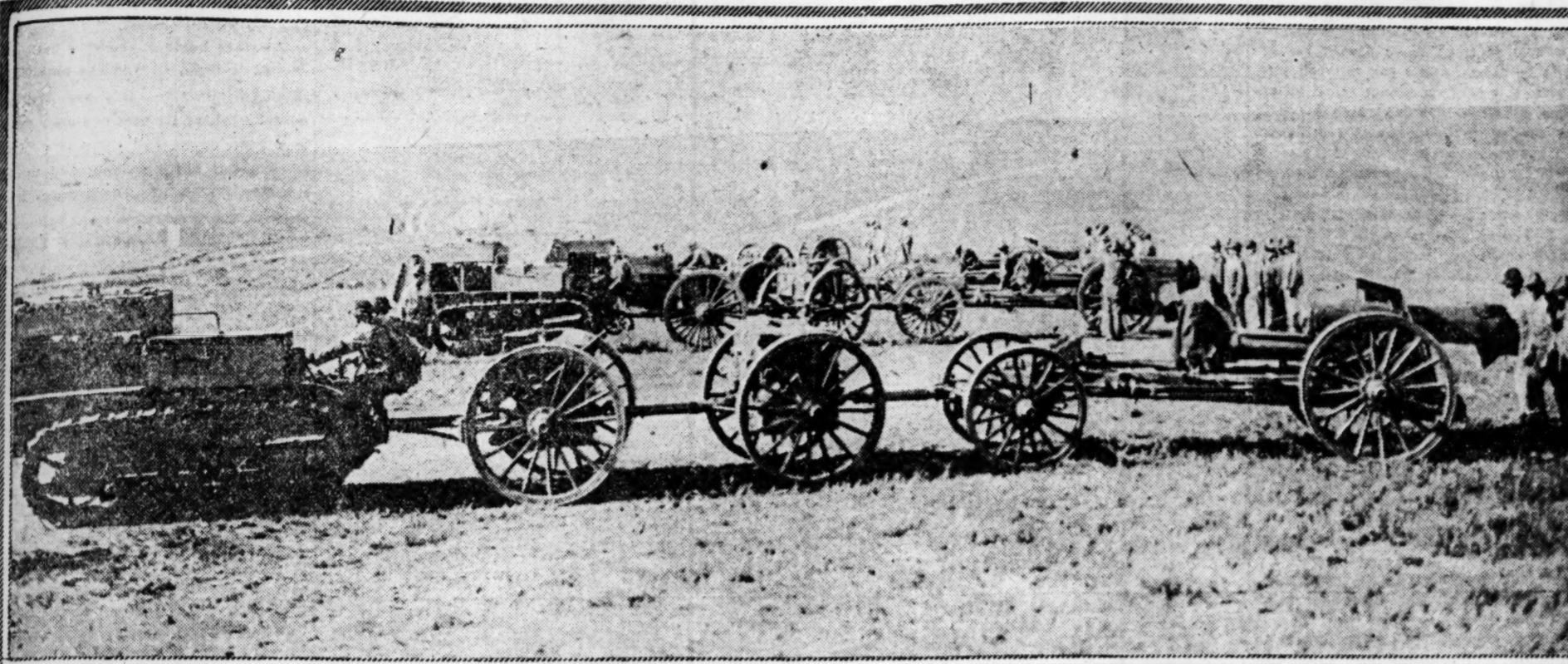
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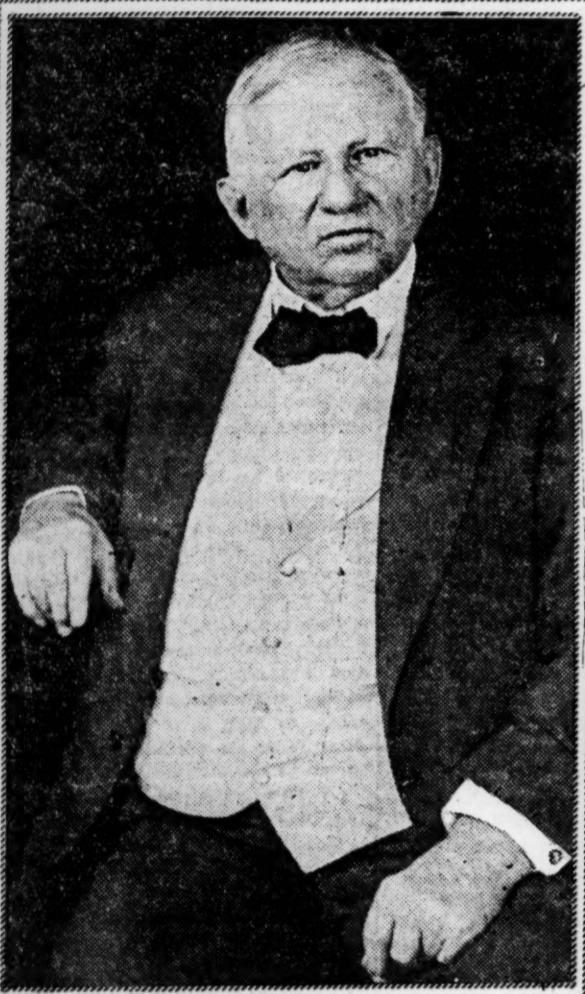
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The new American artillery. Gone are the horses which formerly were used to draw our field guns, and in their stead are tractors, which can stay on the job 24 hours, if necessary.

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The dean of American merchants, John Wanamaker, who celebrated his eightieth birthday the other day. © PRESS ILLUS SER

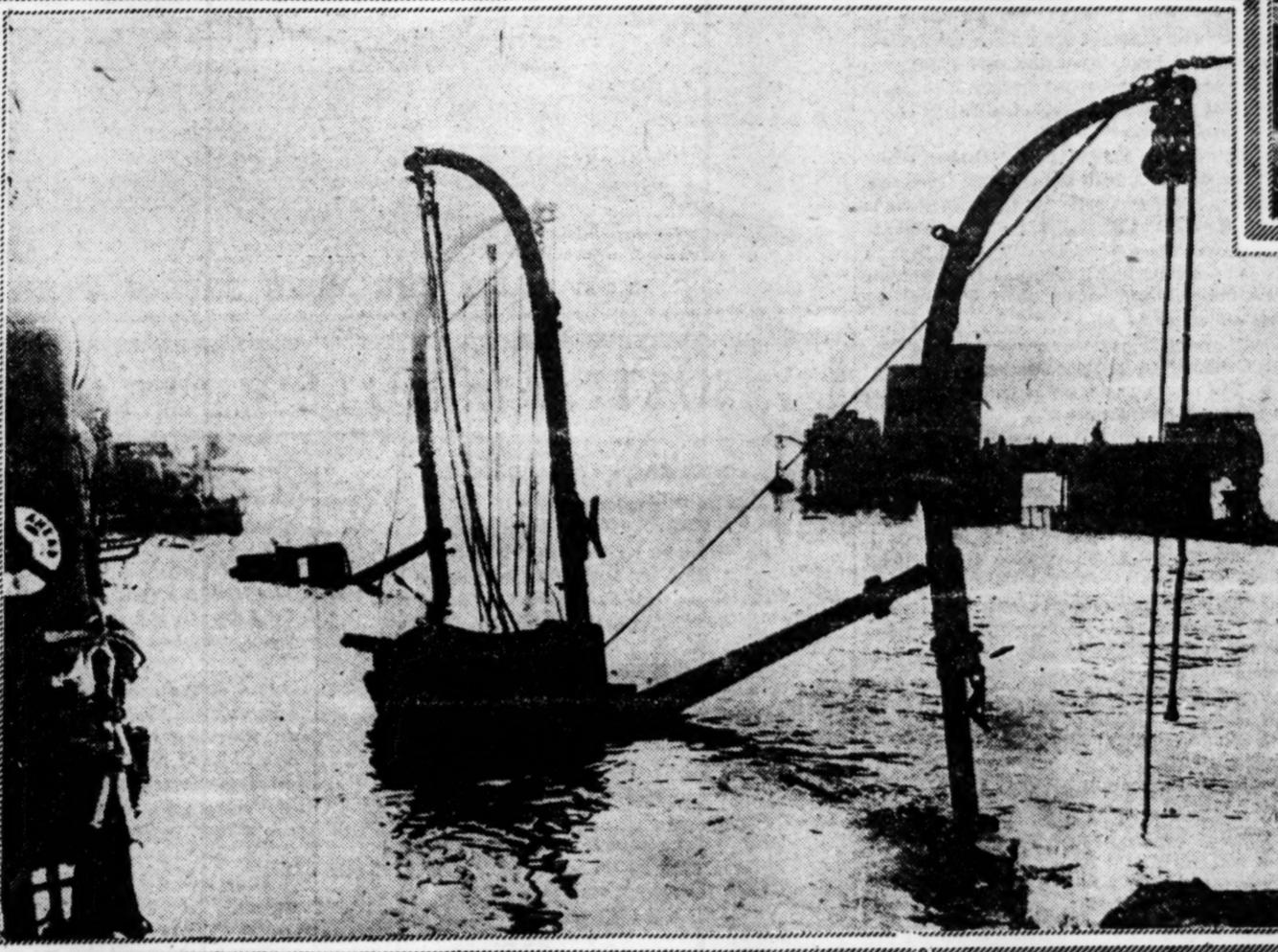
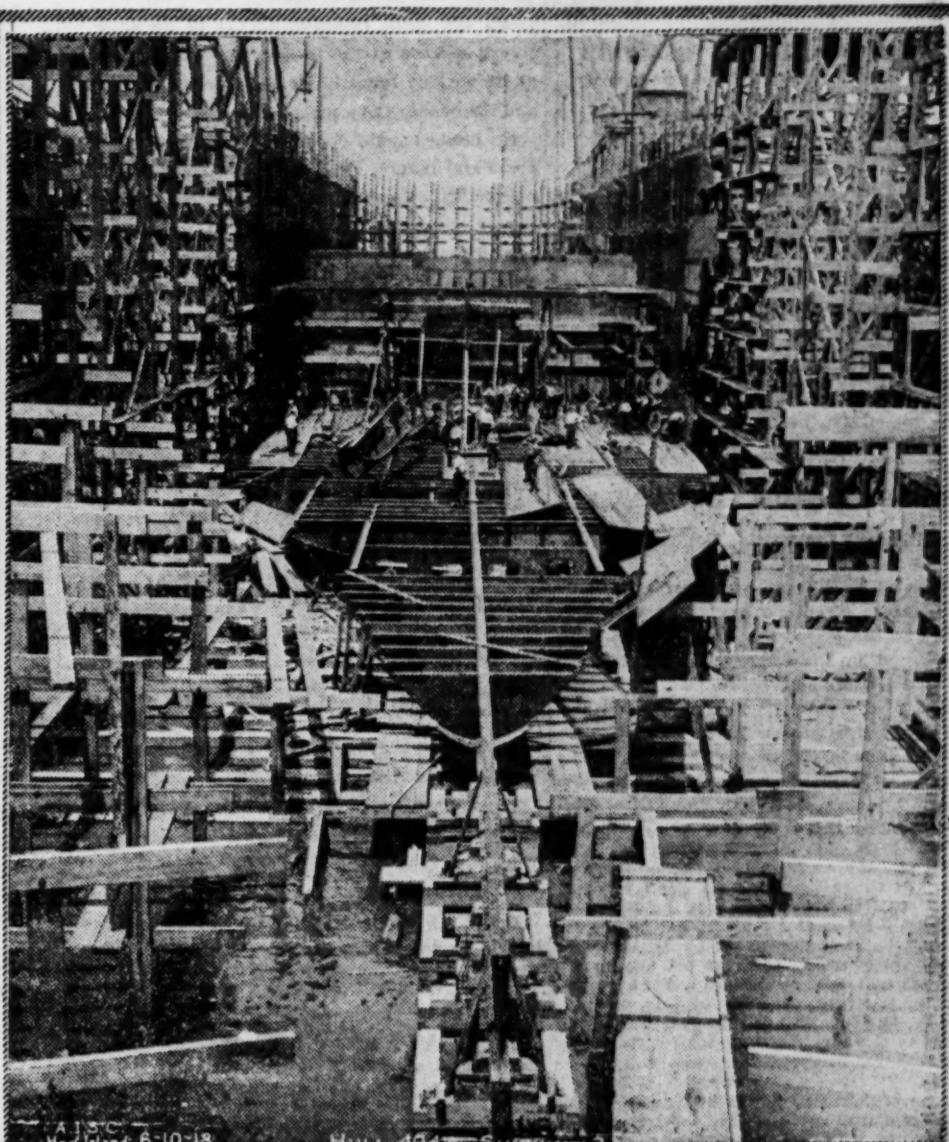
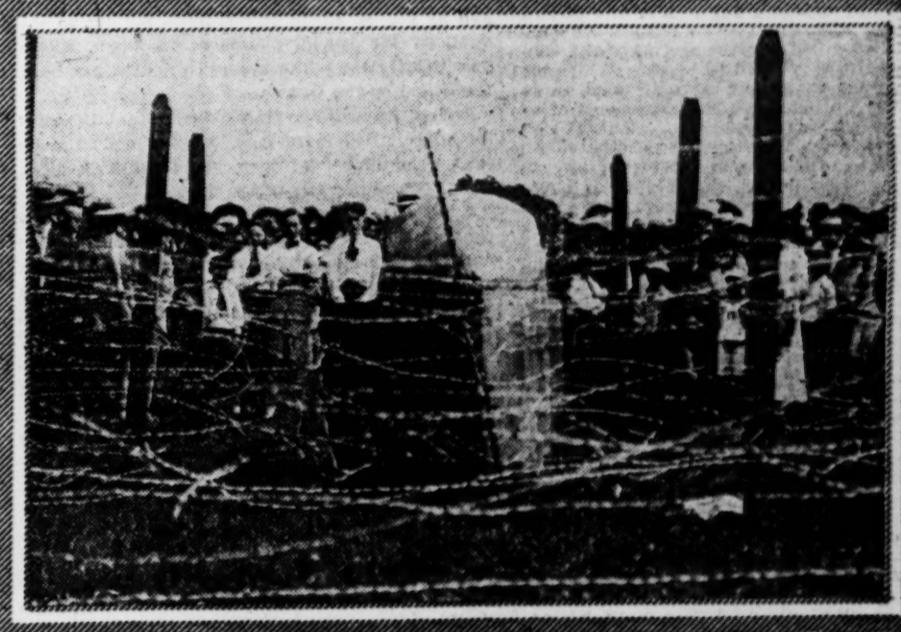


Photo taken by the Germans of the blocked harbor of Zeebrugge. At the right can be seen the smokestacks and upper works of the British cruiser Vindictive. © THEO MOUSSAULT



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Demonstration before Senators and Congressmen of miniature tank, designed for the cutting of wire entanglements. PHOTO BY PRESS ILLUS SER



German prisoners just captured by the British. Some of the men were utterly worn out, as the picture shows.



The quick shifting of the reserves was what made the recent Italian drive successful. Here are some of the motor trucks which accomplished thefeat, screened with branches from enemy aviators.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.
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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Reasons for Special Registration.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Several weeks ago an effort was made to procure a special registration in this city for the primaries. Proceedings were instituted in the Supreme Court for this purpose at my suggestion. The news columns of the daily press gave the impression that this was purely a political move on my part in the interest of a particular senatorial candidate. I am not responsible for the deductions drawn from these proceedings by the gentlemen who write for the papers. If the move were purely a political one and without merit, I would deserve the censure of all good men. I may not be able to convince the public of my sincerity in this matter, but I am confident that any fair-minded man who will study the question and read the law on the subject will give me full credit for attempting to perform what is, in fact, a great public service, and to remedy a great wrong done to thousands of voters in St. Louis by an omission in the registration laws of this State.

The registration books of this city have been closed to voters since the early part of February, 1917—nearly 13 months prior to the primaries. Under these circumstances not a voter in the city of St. Louis who has acquired his right to vote here since February, 1917, will be permitted to vote in the coming primaries. By actual count the returns of the draft boards show that 5612 registrants have become of age since the 5th day of June, 1917. Not one of these young men, the greater number of whom will be called into the service of the country, will be allowed to participate, through no fault or neglect of their own, in the coming primaries.

TUBERCULOSIS WAR WORK.

The first number of Over Here, a publication begun by the St. Louis Tuberculosis Society to aid publicity for special phases of its work, shows how greatly the white scourge problem has been magnified by the war.

TALE OF TWO CITIES.

About 2000 automobiles were stolen in St. Louis during the past year. That was about 2000 more than were stolen in Milwaukee. The reason is that Milwaukee automobile thieves are punished, while in St. Louis they are paroled. When an automobile thief is caught in Milwaukee he is sent to the penitentiary for from five to 14 years. When one is caught here he generally goes free in a little while and steals some more automobiles.

Not only in Milwaukee, but throughout Wisconsin, automobiles are safe. Thieves have learned that the Wisconsin law is stringent, and what is more to the point it is enforced. So they work in other states, especially Missouri, where the law is not enforced, such as it is, and in St. Louis, where automobile thieves seem to enjoy a special sort of immunity.

More than 2 per cent of those examined for the draft in our own country were rejected on account of tuberculosis. St. Louis rejects for this cause were in excess of 2 per cent. Hundreds were sent back after reaching the canteens. "A curious fact," says Over Here, "is that very few of those rejected for this cause even suspected that they had the disease. America is learning a lesson from unpreparedness in France and is trying to meet this tremendous question before it becomes unanswerable."

To the great usefulness of this society in peace time, accordingly, is now added one of the most important and appealing forms of war work. Like other organizations devoted to associated war work, it must rely for support on the public's patriotism, generosity and conviction of the relative importance of the need. The receipts of the society's annual benefit baseball game, set for next Saturday, will this year be turned over to the war fund for the relief of draft men who are rejected and soldiers and sailors who are returned from service on account of tuberculosis. It affords an opportunity for contributing to the work in a pleasant way.

Before long the only thing that will call for a chaser will be the U-boat.

FAMINE IN ROUSTABOUTS.
The steamer Ferd Gerald, bound for Memphis, was not detained many hours at this port because of a lack of freight or because of an insufficiency of midsummer river depths or because her owners were awaiting the formulation of sound policies at Washington for putting the waterways into war service. It was a famine in roustabouts here when ready to sail. She needed a crew of 60 of these war-winning agents. She was able to obtain but 25.

He has always been generously paid, measured by the standards of the past, but new standards have come into existence now. Under private control river traffic has actually declined since the war opened its new opportunities. With less work than formerly along the water front, the roustabout hasn't stood around the wharfs waiting for somebody to come along and enable the river to show its usefulness. There are too many other chances for that. While river men have been passing resolutions, he has been going into the army, into factories, into munitions plants, into other forms of highly paid service.

And the roustabout's, for the present, is an essential occupation, essential to the immediate river revival at least. Modern terminals and hoisting machinery will largely but not altogether dispense with his services. There are small landings where freight must always be carried ashore. There will always be small packages which the roustabout can carry aboard more economically than ponderous steam cranes. And if the river

is not to be restricted to through traffic alone, if it is to be used in distributing merchandise to the minor towns of wide areas and in collecting grain and livestock and other products at their primary points of origin in the same areas, how can the roustabout be spared?

HOW MUCH CAN BE HAD FOR WAR?

"Another thing I can tell you is that Congress is not going to provide for raising \$8,000,000,000 by taxation this year, as the Treasury Department asks to be done. And I can tell you why.

At the outside, this country cannot spend an excess of from \$15,000,000,000 to \$16,000,000,000, using every agency of production it has, during the year. I know what I am talking about when I say this, for I have looked into the matter very carefully."

This must be a matter of opinion with Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, as quoted in Washington dispatches. It cannot be stated as a matter of fact. Possibly the Senator can be followed in the figuring which led to this statement. Prior to our entrance into the war the product of the industrial United States, exclusive of duplications, was commonly placed at not over \$50,000,000,000 a year. That's the extreme maximum figure, and from that amount must be deducted the total living and all other expenses of the hundred million people. The balance would represent the amount saved and invested, and the net growth of wealth of the United States in recent years shows that this balance is ordinarily not over \$5,000,000,000 a year and could not have been more than \$10,000,000,000 a year as we entered the war.

It is from this balance that the Government must collect the costs of waging the war in taxes and through bond issues together. How, then, is it possible for the Government this fiscal year to raise its proposed \$8,000,000,000 from taxes and \$16,000,000,000 through bond issues—a total of \$24,000,000,000 from an estimated sparable industrial margin of less than half that amount?

This fancied question of the Senator can be best answered by asking another. How was it possible that some \$13,000,000,000 for these extraordinary war expenses could have been raised from taxes and bond issues the past fiscal year when the available industrial margin is supposed to have been less and the people had hardly begun to economize for war?

The figures are very elastic. Higher prices raise them on one side of the account. Increased savings can lower tremendously the deductions to be made for costs of living. The difference available for war rises incalculably. The Senator needs facts from which he speaks threateningly of what Congress will not do, and he has only an out-of-date guess to go on.

The Germans crossed the Marne, coming and going. The return passage was quicker. Yankee guns are great accelerators.

PAPA AND THE BOYS SEEING PARIS.



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JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark McAdams

THE ANCIENT RIVERMAN.

I T is an ancient riverman
Who stoppeth one of three.
"Now, by my halidom," he saith,
"What are they giving me?"
They tell me that the boats will soon
Be running to the sea!"

With plain compassion on my face,
I led him to a bar;
And there, beside the burnished rail,
We hailed the river's star;
And having drank it up, the sky,
We ordered a cigar.

"My friend," said I, "when Hope is dead
It cannot soon renew.
I know it seems incredible
To people such as you;
But all the same, my dear old friend,
It happily is true.

"The glory of the olden time
Is not forever dead;
The railroad business for a while
But knocked it on the head.
It's better, thank you, and will soon
Be up and out of bed."

It is an ancient riverman
Whose eyes are dim with tears—
A thing more eloquent, my friends,
Than all the others' cheers.
And he, in his turn, buys a drink
To toast the coming years.

ANOTHER VACATION SPOILED.



New York Times.
"But you promised to take me to the seashore this summer."

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

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THE TANKS AND THE CHINESE.

From the Atlantic Monthly.

IT strikes home in the very dull eye of one's brain to find the oldest of civilization races—or the only one—actually taking its part against killing. It is a good omen, and there is a beauty irony about putting China and the tanks together. Here are these uncouth engines, the very latest word in the mechanism of massacre, and here in attendance on them, laughing and singing, the representatives of that race to which we are almost all the mechanism we have, the race which has invented the origin of everything we are, yet itself has always rested content to go as far as convenient required and no further.

Do not fancy that the Chinese play any part with these, except that of coolies and fetchers and carriers in the hangars. (Though I should not be surprised if they came to be even better than we are at our own oufage if they are allowed to try their hand. It is a game that would exactly suit them, and once they are interested, they always improve on their model.) The long high-arched dimness of each hangar is full of life; trolleys come and go on the rails. Chinese sit singing at their task, tagging camouflage nets, or run errands for some commanding soldier who knows no word of their language. But he goes along with his new allies quite easily and the same; they are a good crowd to handle these Shantung fellows, as bright and shiny as needles, if they are decently treated and joked with, and allowed to be interested in their work. Here and there, in corners or separate sheds, are invalid tanks themselves, like trunkless sick elephants, waiting to be looked after; on one of them you can still read in Russian its supposed Russian destination, painted on its flank in mislead, in the days when the secret of the tanks and their purpose was still being kept in the dark.

But most of them are outside in the fields, some sheeted and some bare. They really are terrifying things, oppressively evil and ominous. Humanity has an ancestral horror of everything that moves otherwise than on feet or wheels. This is the only choice for all respectable decent mowers; we hate slugs and snakes and snails, for instance, and everything that goes uncannily on the bodies (women, being the older half of us, have that hatred even stronger than men). And it is for the very same reason that one's primitive instinct loathes the tanks. They break the law of foot-or-wheel; it makes them unrighteous and frightening merely in themselves, without a thought of their guns and horrors. In fact, it is obvious to compare them to slugs; neither has anything appropriate to move with, yet they do move.

I tell you, it really is a fearsome sight and what the Chinese must think of all, one simply cannot conceive. And even this is only Behemoth at peace. Imagine Behemot enraged, with tusks of red fire projecting on either flank, drunkenly wallowing across the shell-shattered earth in his implacable advance, and cuddling cottages and shelters into crumblies with the dreadful, soulless rootlings of his snout; and you may begin to form a faint notion of the fear that fell upon the Amalekites when they first saw this new product of evolution.

Mary Garden wore an air of indifference when she extended her hand to the interviewer.—Buffalo News. Well, what's new about it? We never knew Mary to wear much of anything else.

Judging by the calm in our letter column, there is no objection to Yanks as a nickname for our soldiers.

WON KUEHLMANN's own estimate of what has been done to Romania is worth noting. It was his business to know how much a little country of 7,000,000 people could stand, and we have his own words for it that it has had to stand all the traffic would bear. He said: "Romania will have to suffer heavily—for even though a war indemnity in cash has not been demanded, yet the damages Romania will have to pay under the legal treaty, and various other supplementary treaties and agreements, will amount to very considerable sums in the long run—sums, which perhaps, do not very substantially differ from that which might presumably have been obtained by officially demanding a war indemnity." The lights on German policy—the calculating method of finding out how much blood money can be taken and taking it—ought not to escape allied observation. They show what the alternative must be if German militarism is not rendered harmless.

TODAY'S BEST CARTOON.



"Won't Somebody Please Say Please?"

Rickey Declares Hornsby Did Not Speak to Players

Cards Have Lost Players Worth \$110,000 in Year

Crushing Blow to Team's Strength Has Caused Playing and Financial Weaknesses, and Probable Collapse of Community Ownership Idea.

By John E. Wray

KIPPER BRANCH RICKEY and his good ship, the Knot-Hole Gang, bowed before another blast, last night, when the announcement reached St. Louis from Fort Worth, Tex., that Rogers Hornsby had decided to retire from the game for the duration of the war and to go to work at some "essential" occupation.

In the 18 months that have elapsed since the Knot Hole Gang was launched, stormy seas have been encountered. Scarcely had the enterprise got under way than war was declared. Since then one big wave after another has swept over the craft and today finds it staggering under a triple burden of low finances, loss of valuable playing talent, and meager attendance, due to the war.

Pennant Hopes in the Cellar.

The machine that was to have run into Pennant harbor with a safe has been fighting off a lee shore for several weeks. It might have been due not to bad management, but to an ill-timed launching of the Knot Hole movement.

Losses to Date \$110,000.

One factor alone was sufficient to cause certain ruin—pennant hopes, at least. Since last year the club has lost an aggregate amount of playing value estimated at \$100,000. The list of important players gone, or about to go to war and their midwinter quotations are as follows:

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| Rogers Hornsby | \$60,000 |
| Marvin Goodwin | 15,000 |
| Jack Miller | 10,000 |
| Oscar Horstman | 5,000 |
| Jack Smith | 10,000 |
| Frank Snyder | 10,000 |
| Total | \$110,000 |

This means that the club, as it now stands, is worth \$240,000, as compared to the purchase price of \$350,000, \$150,000 of which is still due Mrs. E. J. Morris.

In addition, the morale of the players was sadly disturbed, interfering with the performance of some of the men. Owing to spring salary squabbles, Hornsby and Smith were almost useless to the club, even while with him.

Community Ownership Weak. "I know that Hornsby has had very few words with any of the players this season," said Rickey, "and this may also be the case between Hornsby and his manager. However, if there is any open trouble between the parties concerned I have never heard of it."

"Rogers Hornsby is one of the greatest ballplayers I have ever known. But he also has a peculiar character; various traits which are hard to understand, cannot be understood, in fact, unless one is intimately associated with him."

"He is egotistical. He likes to believe he is the greatest player in the country. Moreover, he must be made to believe it if his club is to realize to the maximum of his ability. I am not aware of what goes on between Hornsby and the players and his manager, the field. But do you think Hornsby is handled in the fashion I have stated, he will not show to best advantage?"

"I have heard many times that Hornsby and I were not friendly terms. What I mean by that is we were really pals. We have been the best of friends since I took charge of this club. He has come to me for advice in personal matters time and again. Furthermore, he has come to me and that you have told me that he would do anything in his power to improve his hitting. Whatever others may say, I know Hornsby was giving me the best he had."

"And now, since he has left the club, I am waiting for the tirade of criticism about passing up the Chicago club's offer for Hornsby last spring. I'm waiting to be told, 'Do you think the Joneses Hornsby is handled in the fashion I have stated, he will not show to best advantage?'

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No Chance to Sell Him. "But I'll stand on my decision in that instance to my last day in baseball. There was never any occasion for the Cardinals to baseball club to meet itself and strengthen its hold for the sake of an amount of money, large or small. I have always blessed the day I refused to sell him, despite the fact that my club is in last place in the league. The figures on the A. L. letters follow:

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| Sisler .71 .283 .46 .98 .346 | |
| Burns .79 .308 .58 .106 .344 | |
| Horn .56 .187 .27 .61 .326 | |
| Baker .80 .326 .43 .105 .322 | |

Hollocher Owns 103 Hits. Charley Hollocher, shortstop of the Cards, and a Louis boy, is the first player to win a double crown. Hollocher, who before yesterday's twin bill with the Phillies owned 97, added six, raising his total to 103. He made the half-dozen safeties in nine trips to the plate for an average of .367. His record included one triple.

Phillies Win Cub Twice. Ninth-inning rallies by the Phils sees a double victory over the Cards yesterday. In the opening clash, Moran's men pounded Douglas and Vaughn for a quartet in the final round and won, 7-5, while in the second they bumped Claude Hendrie to a pair to give 4-3 count. Hogg and Pindorger, who led the Phillies in the trade for Alexander last winter, were the winning pitchers. Luderus connected for six safeties in eight trips to the plate.

Huggins' Men Are Jolted. The Yankees of Miller Huggins, who have been running neck and neck with the Red Sox in the A. L., were handed a jolt yesterday when the Tigers capped both ends of a double bill, 12 to 1, and 4-1. George Davis won the opener, allowing seven hits, while Bernie Boland yielded

Last Night's Fights.

Philadelphia — Lew Tender abashed Irish, Paul, Oliver, six rounds. Soldier Bartfield had better of Harry Grib, six rounds.

Boys find it out when it's over."

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WNS' PITCHING
FF IS IN BAD.
APE AT PRESENT

and Lowdermilk Have
Sent Home for Repairs
by Manager Burke.

ON, July 17.—Wayne Wright
Rogers of the Browns will
quell the Red Sox, particu-
lars Ruth, in the double-head-
this afternoon. Against the
Bengals of the Burke stable,
Barrow will put Joe "Bul-
sh" and Lore Bader, both
Burke and Galla, two crafty
workmen for Burke, at
home this morning before
the game.

By Leased Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"Movement of prices on the Stock Exchange today was in keeping with the evident determination of the financial community to suspend judgment on the German drive until the result is more clearly in view. Today there was some modification of the highly optimistic predictions of complete failure heard yesterday, but those views had not been generally held, and the stock market itself had quite definitely refused to be stampeded into an optimistic outburst."

"While the Germans made a deep

er advance south of the Marne and southwest of Rethens than the pre-

liminary dispatches had indicated,

Wall Street saw no convincing rea-

son to abandon its underlying con-

fidence, based in large part upon a

comparison of the progress made in

the present drive with the German

advances in the first days of the

movement against Amiens and in

Picardy.

"Prices were little changed at the

opening, but later, in a very dull

session of the exchange, they moved

downdward fractionally. In only a

few shares was the loss of any con-

siderable amount.

United Railways 4s were firmer

on bids at \$50.37 1/2 and offers at \$51.00,

and the preferred stock had \$15 bid,

and \$15.50 asked. National Bank of

Commerce was steady at \$115.37 1/2

bid, \$120 asked. Bonds reflected a

limited investment demand.

REGULAR SESSION
CLOSING QUOTATIONS

Bid Asked

MINES

Atlanta 3 4

Hix Ledger 1 1

Gold Tin and Tung 7.16 1/2

Canada Copper 1/4 1/4

Cominco Cons 1/2 1/2

Green Mountain 1/2 1/2

Jumbo Extension 8 9

K-McKinley Darragh 5.16 7.16

Lehigh & Potash 40 31

Lake Superior 31 34

Granite-Bimetallic 42 45

National Can 30 34

Mines Co. 1/4 1/4

Mason Valley 1/4 1/4

Nipissing 36 38

Ray Industries 14.1 14.1

Silver King of Arizona 9.16 10.16

Tono Extension 2.75 3.25

Tono Mining 2.75 3.25

United Verde 2.75 3.25

MOTORS

Chevrolet 130 135

Grant Motor 20 20

Hoover 20 20

Mitchell 20 20

United Motors 32 32

Smith Motor 1/4 1/4

INDUSTRIALS

Aetna Exp. 12 12

Alcoa Corp. 10 10

Curtis 16 16

Carwen Steel 84 84

Concordia Corp. 18 18

Kreese 18 18

Raymond Corp. 18 18

McKee Corp. 18 18

Marconi 3 3

Triangl Film 16 16

World Film 16 16

Wright Martin 18 18

INDEPENDENT OILS

Basis 6 6

Butler Brothers 44 44

Burnett 10 10

Eastland 44 44

Northwest Oil 20 20

Oklahoma Ref. 4 4

Midwest Ref. 10 10

Ok. Prod. & Ref. 7 7

Sinclair Gulf 18 18

UNLISTED STOCKS

Reported by Mark C. Steinberg & Co., Investment Bankers, Boatmen's Bank Building, St. Louis.

Bid Asked

American Stove Co. 11.8 11.8

Butler Brothers 108 125

Burrage Add. Mach. Co. 248 248

Chicago Lumber and Coal 67 67

Corro. Mill 100 115

General Baking Co. 45 50

International Life Ins. Co. 210 225

Midwest Steel 100 100

Mo. State Ins. Co. 25 25

Shapleigh Hardware 250 245

Western Cartridge Co. 270 270

St. Louis Trust Co. 484 484

CHICAGO Stock Opening.

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co., St. Louis.

Bid Asked

American Can 47 47

Am. Gas. & Publ. 94 94

Am. Steel & Wire 127 127

Concordia 90 90

Cochrane 112 114

Diamond Match 105 105

Hoover 103 103

Kaufmann Dept. Stores 107 115

Lehman Brothers 7 7

S. S. Kraske 7 7

Merrill Drug Co. 101 101

Ohio States Tel. 7 90

Parkersburg 100 100

Shaward 115 120

Simmons Hardware 6 88

Truck Co. St. Louis County 78

Water Tower Bank 100 115

Westland First Nat. Bank 110 120

Wellston Trust Co. 249 249

Weston 51 56

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Water Tower Bank 100 115

Westland First Nat. Bank 110 120

Wellston Trust Co. 249 249

Weston 51 56

PROVISIONS

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co., St. Louis.

Bid Asked

American Lard 26.84 26.84

Am. Meat & Ham 106.12 106.12

Am. Pork 106.12 106.12

Am. Sausage 106.12 106.12

Am. Bacon 106.12 106.12

Am. Butter 106.12 106.12

Am. Eggs 106.12 106.12

Am. Milk 106.12 106.12

Am. Cheese 106.12 106.12

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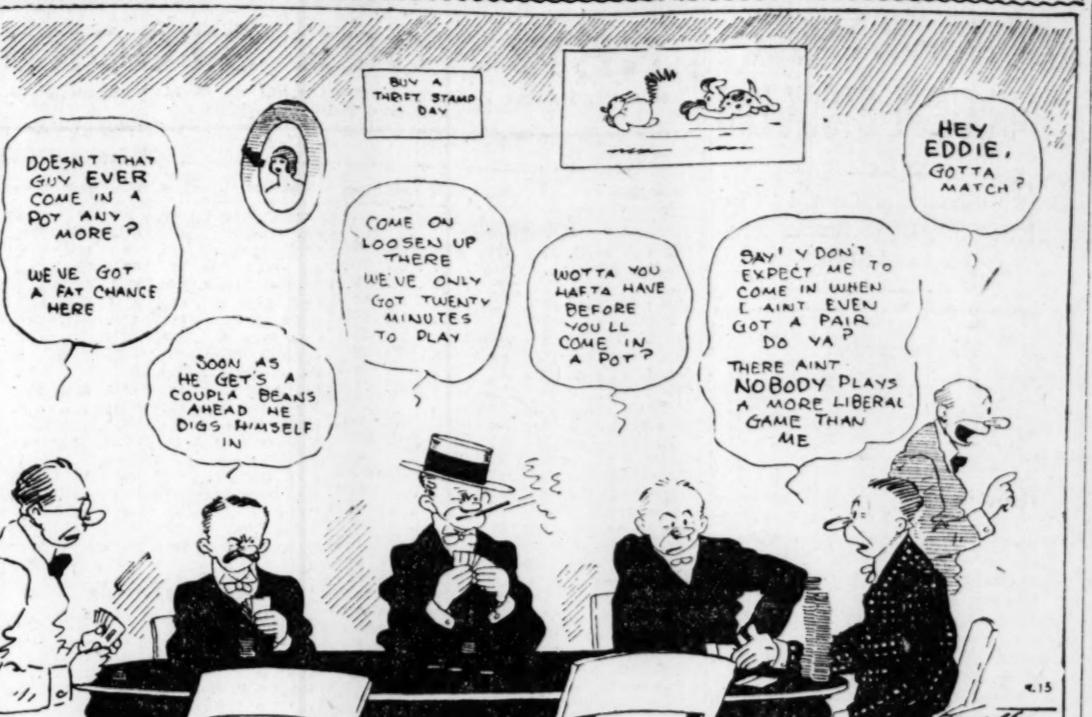
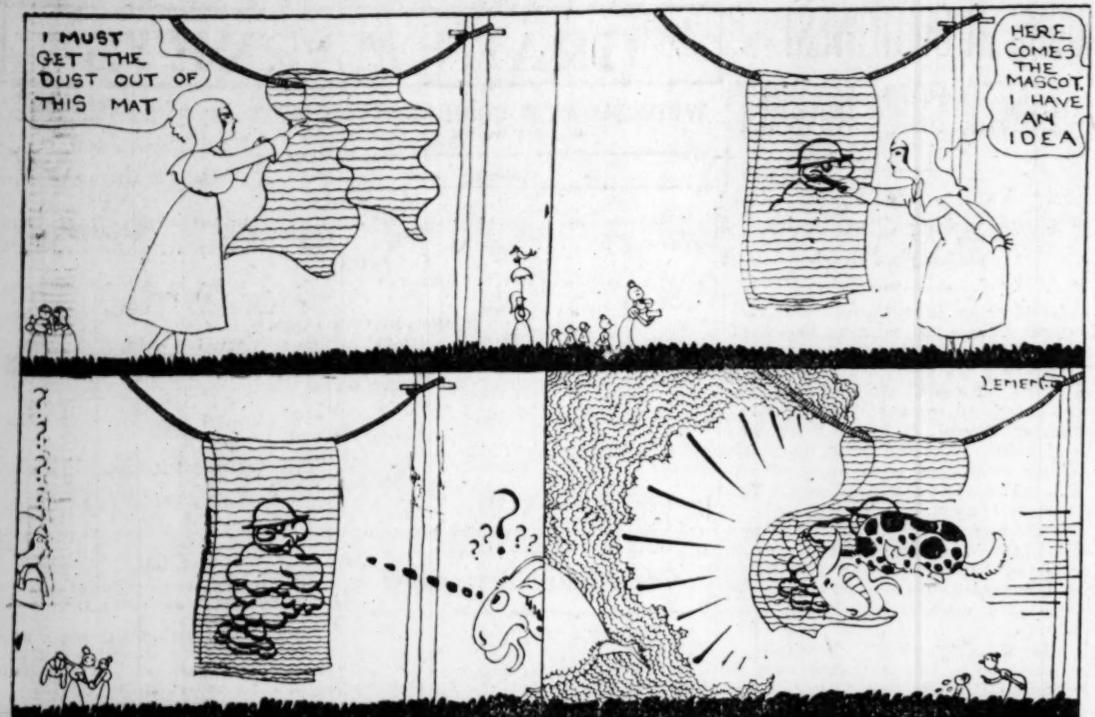
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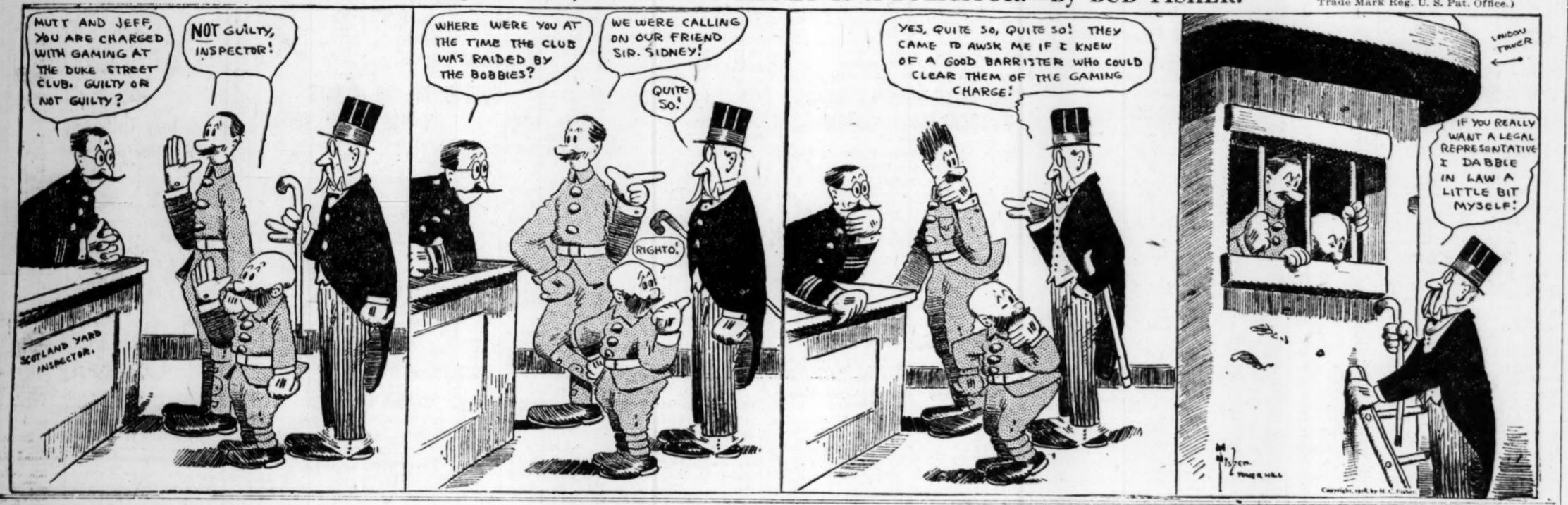
By LEMEN

PENNY ANTE—The Close Guy

By Jean Knott



MUTT AND JEFF—AH, HA! SO SIR SIDNEY IS A SOLICITOR.—By BUD FISHER.



NO BRAINS, NO BRAINS!—By GOLDBERG.



"SAY, POP!"—HE MADE ONE EXCEPTION.—By PAYNE.



Leading.

THE late John G. Johnson, Philadelphia's famous lawyer, was once explaining to a jury the nature and the unfairness of "leading" or "guiding" questions. He illustrated his explanation with an anecdote.

"A young chap and a pretty girl," he said, "sat on a secluded bench at Lemon Hill. The girl turned to him and said earnestly:

"You ask me for a kiss. There is—language in kisses. A kiss on the hand denotes chivalrous respect. On the forehead it denotes a firm

and faithful friendship. On the lips—her color rose and she drew a long breath—a kiss on the lips denotes all things. Kiss me, then, once. Express in one kiss your feelings toward me."

The bashful youth pondered.

"I don't want to lose her," he said to himself. "Where is it best to kiss her? Hand, forehead or lips?"

A mellow whistle interrupted him. He looked at the girl. Her red mouth was puckered up in the form of a question; she had pulled down her hat so as to hide her forehead completely, and both hands were thrust up to the wrists in her jacket pockets."

The Heckler.

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN said in a temperance address in Kankakee:

"We temperance people should make no rabid, exaggerated or false claims. With the truth we can win and easily win. Inaccuracies only harm us."

A temperance lecturer once ruffled up his hair and roared:

"Every glass of beer a man drinks shortens his life one week."

"Second Ditto: I was shut up all winter with a young lady's bathing suit. Not another bite to eat in the closet.—Punch Bowl."

"Well, what's your question,

friend?" said the lecturer.

"Did I understand you to say that every glass of beer a man takes shortens his life a week?"

"That's what I said. Why?"

"Oh, nothin'," said the stout chap, "only I've been doing a little mental arithmetic, and I find I ought to have been dead 650 years ago."

FIRST MOTH: Why so thin and emancipated this spring, brother?

Second Ditto: I was shut up all

winter with a young lady's bathing

suit. Not another bite to eat in the

closet.—Punch Bowl."

"Well, what's your question,

Haste.

FOR nine long years he had been wooing the fair daughter of the farm.

"Jennie," he mused, as they sat on the old fence, "I read the other day that in a thousand years the Lakes of Killarney will dry up."

Jennie clutched his arm excitedly. "Oh, Tom!" she exclaimed. "What's the matter, lass?"

"Why, as you promised to take me there on our honeymoon, don't you think we'd better be a little careful about that they don't dry up before we get there?"—Boston Post.

Didn't Catch Witness.

WHAT the case was about no one seemed to know exactly. The lawyers themselves were pretty well mixed up.

Then an important witness entered the box and was presently asked to tell the Court the total of his gross income.

He refused; the counsel appealed to the Judge.

"You must answer the question," said the Judge sternly.

The witness fidgeted about and then burst out with:

"But—but, your honor, I have no

gross income. I'm a fisherman, and it's all net."—Case and Converse.

Any Bachelor.

LITTLE MILDRED: What does "B. A." stand for, mama?

Mama: Bachelor of Arts, my dear.

"Wrong!"

"You grease his sides and slide down."

"Wrong!"

"You take a ladder and get down."

"Wrong!"

"Well, you take the trunk home down."

"No, not quite. You don't get down off an elephant; you get it off a goose."—Indianapolis News.

And the Jokesmith Dodged.

THEY were discussing that joke about getting off an elephant.

"How do you get down?" asked the jokesmith for the fourth time.

"You climb down."

"Wrong!"

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for Counter Attacks

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HELP HOL

Asked for Privileges
in Part in Battalions
Americans Assist in Co
tacks.

By the Associated Press.
WITH THE ARMY IN FRANCE,
American troops went into
battle with a cheer this morning
the launching of the surprise attack on the front west of Chateau-Thierry.

The enemy was completely surprised by surprise all line.

The American troops brought up in the night with their French from crack units, advanced over the first objective, advanced behind the barrage to the second which were speedily taken at the north end of the front opposite the Paris road.

The Americans advanced with a terrific barrage to their positions in less than half an hour. While they were digging in, the Americans, in most cases, over the first objective, advanced behind the barrage to the second which were speedily taken at the north end of the front opposite the Paris road.

Numerous tanks were in the offensive.

The American infantry went into attack without previous artillery preparation. Advance behind the rolling tanks, they captured many machine guns, prisoners, and material.

The Germans offered feeble resistance here and there, but a stubborn fight which can shock units quickly came at the point of the tanks and at the muzzle of the tanks.

The fighting continued throughout the Marne, the artillery activity was along the line.

A downpour of rain over zones between Chateau-Thierry and Dormans served to slow operations since early this morning.

In the neighborhood of the river bend district, the further improved their day.

Fighting continued throughout the day in the region of the Marne, the artillery activity was along the line.

Many Germans between the road and the south bank appear to have made a hasty escape to the north bank points during the night.

American negro troops are holding to hold the allied offensive.

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